

ROYAL BOTANIC GARDENS,
KEW.



Archives Room



Museums.

Schools:-

1904, 1909 - 1914

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Feb 2. 1894
2.52

Stoke-under-Ham,

Shropshire.

E. PRITCHARD,
HEADMISTRESS.

Castle Balaal,



(548)

Stoke-under-Ham, 1894

Will you kindly send
some Botanic specimens for
the School Museum

Yours truly

E. Pritchard

Dr. J. ...

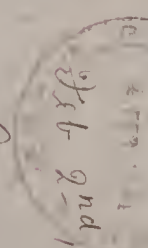
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to Miss. Sup.
15. 7. 54

I am

Received of Mr. J. ...

Stanford National Herbarium
17. 7. 1904



(549) 2 Yorks.

The Curator.

New Botanical Museum.

Sir,

I am endeavoring to

form a really interesting

and helpful museum in

my school, and am

writing to ask if I may

hope for the favor of

your acceptance in the

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Botanical

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the lessons

and life.

with me.

Y. Long

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shape of Botanic Specimens.

Your kindness would be
most thoroughly appreciated
by self and entire staff.
Hoping I may thank you
in anticipation, with
apologies for intruding on
your valuable time

I remain, Sir,

Yours faithfully

Walter Quirk.

(Headmaster)

Schoot Street

Stanford in the Vale

Strington

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19. 2. 09



Dear Sir

Please accept-

my sincere Thanks for

the parcel received on

17th inst. - They will be a

fine addition to our

Schoot Museum.

I am

Yrs. Faithfully

Walter Ruck

To

The Director

New Gardens

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and life.

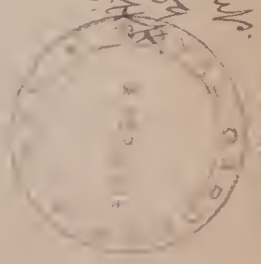
withfully

Yrs. Truly

W. Ruck

Answered
Feb. 24 '04
Miss. Sup.

15. 11. 04



National Library

Medicine

Subscription

(550) Feb 2nd 1904

Dear Sir

Very I am Sir

For specimens of Botanical
Flora and seeds for our
Museum to illustrate lessons
on Plant-Physiology &c.

Yours faithfully
J. F. Long

The Curator
The Botanical Museum

New



Wilts County Council.



Andover N. School,

Salisbury

Feb 19th 1909

Dear Sir

Received to day
with many thanks the
parcel of Museum Specimens

Yours faithfully

J. F. Lang

Head Master

The Director
Royal Botanic Gardens
Wew

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Unrecd. Feb. 6.
No. 1001
No. 1001



(55-1)

3.2.04

26 Liverpool Road.
E. C. C. C.
No. 1001
Liverpool

Sir, In the "Herald" of Jan: 25th
a notice appeared that 15 fine

specimens of fibres and seed would
be sent on application free. If
this notice is correct I should
be greatly obliged if you would
forward a parcel to the

"Wellman & Co's School
House".
No. 1001.
Liverpool.

I may mention that we are

forming a "Native Study" Class which
is my reason ~~of~~ for applying.

I & there should be any considerable
charge I should be glad if
you will let me know beforehand

I am Yours Truly

(Miss) J. Thomas

The Curator
Botanical Museum
Lev.



Wesleyan School.
Waterloo.
N.S. November 1873

is School,
Elford

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I have much pleasure in
acknowledging the arrival of
Museum specimens which you
have so kindly sent. Their
examination proved very interesting
both to the teachers and the children.
Again thanking you.

I remain
Yours sincerely
J. G. Milnor.

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ly offered
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could be
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the above

we
very
long

forming a "Natural Study" class which

Received
Feb. 9, 1904
No. 111
Miss M. J. J.

(52)

9 FEB

St Anne's School,
Shel-bord

Dear Sir

In the Teacher's Aid
of Jan. 1904, seems that
you have kindly offered
to supply specimens of the
fish & seeds. I would be
very glad if you could
send them to the above
school.

Y remain

Yours sincerely,
J. W. Cullough

forming a "Natural Stud." Class which.

Informal
Specimens 157 sent
Per mail Feb. 9. 94

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to send

of us

short

Dear Sir

Edith Porter would

be greatly obliged if

you could send her any

no

Botanic specimens if

you have not ceased

to give the same,

Yours sincerely

E. Porter

forming a "Natural Studies" Class which

694

From

CITY OF NOTTINGHAM SCHOOL BOARD.

Head Teacher,



Board School.

Department.

(5554)

July 1904.

infection

the

Nottingham School
of the City of Nottingham. Success.
18.1.04
Dear Sir,
I shall be pleased to forward some
botanical specimens to help in
the formation of our school

To
The Curator
Botanical Museum, Kew.

Dear Sir,

We should be grateful to you if you would
kindly send us specimens of seeds fibres for
our School Museum. To help us in our
Nature Study lesson,

Yours faithfully
J. S. Barker

forming a "Natural Studies" Class which

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forming a "Nature Study" Class which

Miss. dup.
 Feb. 17. 1909
 J. K. H.

St George the Martyr
 Girls School
 Gloucester St
 Holborn. W. C.

10.2.04

Sir.

Would you very kindly
 send a parcel of fibres and
 seeds for use in the above
 school and oblige.

Yours faithfully
 E. Miller. Secy.
 Head Teacher.

forming a "Nature Study" Class which

Mond. Feb 17. 1909

20 Misc. dup.

Feb. 17. 1909

J.H.H.



697

Dear Sir (557)
 I would be grateful
 if you could favour my
 School with any thing
 illustrations of plant life
 I
 Trusting to your kindness
 I remain
 Yours truly
 R. T. Evans
 (Headmaster)

forming a "Natural Studies" Class which

that we are education

in the museum to

will be a little more

only. Send to the

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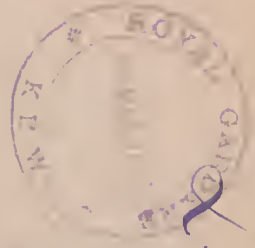
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Mar 20 1909

Dear Sir,

I am glad that you

have not yet

received the

papers. I am

glad to hear that

you are well.

G. W. R. R. R.

A "creper" would be much
prized

904

Kindly send address of School, as
the Museum Department cannot undertake
to supply the specimens otherwise.

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forming a "Natural Study" Class which

received quite
satisfactorily on the 28th of
Feb. The collection
will prove of immense
value, not only as
specimens, but as
illustrative in
photography lessons.
— I shall
begin to direct it
any time, specimens

marked on the mail from Graham to supply address of School.

Alfred Haddenham

(558)

Isle of Ely 699

no more dep.
sent Feb 17th 1907
J.H.H.

Sir,

Will you please

send "A parcel of Fibres
& seeds."

Thanking you in
anticipation

I am
Yours truly,

E. W. Gothard

Master, Council School
Haddenham,

Ely Cambs.

Yours truly

E. W. Gothard

(J.H.H.)

A "crawler" would be much
prized

904.

700

Council School
Haddenham, Isle of Ely
5th September 12th 07

(8)

Thank you

! Come.

seum specimens

see address

which is

Council School

Haddenham,

Ely

Cambs.

Yours truly

E. W. Gothard

the Royal

at the present

request of

Haddenham.

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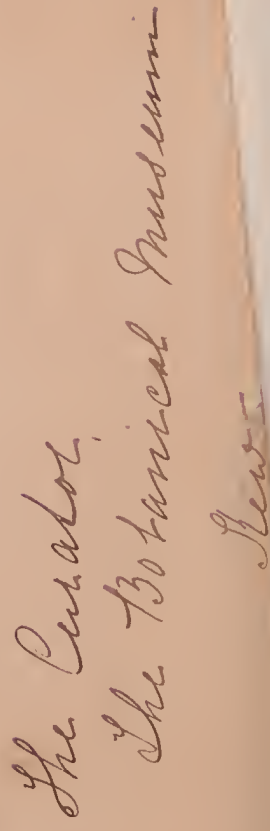
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Kindly send address of School, as
the Museum Department cannot undertake
to supply the specimens otherwise.

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received with
satisfaction the 28th of
Feb. The collection
will prove of immense
value, not only as
specimens, but as
illustrative of
petrification.



700

Aldreth Council School
 Haddenham, Isle of Ely
 Cambs. Sep^r 12th 1904

(538)

701

Sir, I beg to thank you
 for promise of some
 surplus museum specimens
 and to enclose address
 of school which is
 Aldreth, Council School
 Haddenham,
 Ely Cambs.

the Royal
 at the present
 request of
 Haddenham.
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 will be filed,
 ied with as

Yours truly
 E. H. Gotchall

(P.H.)

A "Creeper" would be much
 prize 904.

911 Kindly send address of school, as
 the Museum Department cannot undertake
 to supply the specimens otherwise.

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Received Feb 19 04

Examine a "Not. Oct. 1" "P.D. - 1811"

Received with
label on the 28th of
Feb. The collection
will prove of immense
value, not only as
a new, but also
illustrative
of the life of
the people.



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The Director of the Royal
 Botanic Gardens is unable at the present
 moment to comply with the request of
Mrs. S. Gothard, Alderth, Haddenham.
 for a supply of surplus Museum specimens.
 The application will be filed,
 however, and will be complied with as
 opportunity offers.

Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew.

Feb. 19:.....1904.

Kindly send address of ~~School~~, as
 the Museum Department cannot undertake
 to supply the specimens otherwise.

Ad. Gothard, Alderth, Haddenham, Isle of Ely, Cambs.

Received Feb 19 1904

File

1881

Handwritten: 1875

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Queret. Feb 17. 04
20 miles ship Snd 17th Feb 1904
J. H. H.

L. Paul Royi Del.
Horton, Laver.

18. 2. 04.

(5321)

Dear Sir,

Heaving that you send

out occasionally specimens of
"Botany" such a fibrous seed,
I take this opportunity of
asking if you would kindly
forward us with such a gift
for use in our "Object Lesson". I shall be

If you oblige us by
sending anything useful
for school purposes, you

Street
Horton, Laver.
J. H. H.

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ed me to

name.
of teachers
I offer
samples of
some.
to you to
to the
anticipation

may rest assured we shall
be deeply grateful & will make
the best possible use of them

Apologising for them

troubling you

Yours, Dear Sir,

Yours Respectfully,

A. Stott.

(Headmaster)

School Number

NORFOLK EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

Name of School Spencer Row

29 FEB 1904

Recd. 29 Feb 1904
29 Feb 1904

(560)

Sir

Custom Street
Norfolk
19.2.04

I am a scholar in the
Spencer Row School. The Head
Master has allowed me to
write to you in his name.
According to the the teachers
aid you very kindly offer
to send to school samples of
"Guth's Botanic Specimens."
May I therefore ask you to
send the specimen to the
above address when I shall be
pleased to take it to the
school.
Thanking you in anticipation

Believe me yours truly
Robert Lemon
pro. J. A. Guenig
Head Master

we shall
it & will make
use of them
Thurs

Dear Sir,
Superior?
Hott.
Trustee)

School Number

NORFOLK EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

Name of School Spencer Row

Subject of Letter Museum Specimens

Address—
Spencer Row
Wymondham
Norfolk
Feb. 19. 1907

To The Curator

Dear Sir,

Will you please accept my sincerest thanks for the specimens received this morning.

I need scarcely say what an acquisition they are to our already most interesting museum.

I hope you will not consider me importunate if ask that my name may still remain on your list of those to receive further specimens as I feel it is impossible for children to see too many of Nature's gifts.

Again thanking you

Believe me Dr Sir

Yrs. gratefully
J. A. Bushington
(Head master)

Quoted in
1893
for 1894
17. 11. 94
Miss Margaret's School
Miss Stille

(561)

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9. 14. 1904

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Believe me yours truly
Robert Lemmon
ppg. J. G.ushing
Head c Master

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use of them
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March 4
 1873
 Margaret's and School
 Miss Hill
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Believe me,
Respectfully

Yours
Sincerely

charge we have a large standing
School for young ladies who have
a Museum, and are very proud
when they can make any additions
to it.

With renewed thanks from the
Children and myself

I am, dear Sir

Yours sincerely

S. M. Agnes
(Headmistress)

Council Schools 707

Annot.
 Feb 24 1884
 20 misc. dup.
 17.11.89
 J. H. H.
 Misterton
 Gainsboro
 23. 2. 04.
 (562)

I shall be greatly
 obliged if you will kindly
 forward - a parcel of
 fibres and seeds for
 our School museum -

Yours truly
 J. Williams
 H. Master.

20 misc. dup.
 Feb. 17. 1884
 J. H. H.



Received 27.04.04

Feb. 24 1884

J. Williams
 H. Master

Believe me,
Respectfully,
Yours,
Hear

charge we have a large spending
School for young ladies who have
a Museum, and are our proud
When they can make any additions
to it.

With renewed thanks from the
Children and myself,
I am,

Yours
Sincerely,
L. Am.

The Curator
Botanical Museum



POST CARD
THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE.

20 Miles. July 1909
Feb. 17. 1910.

March 27. 04

(5231)



Dear Sir,
I have the pleasure to inform you
that the same has been received
and is being forwarded to you
by the next mail.
Very respectfully,
J. H. [Signature]

Yours truly,
J. H. [Signature]





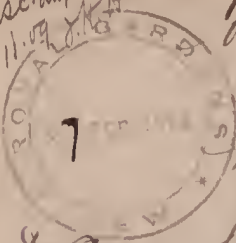
The Hiawatha is a
 beg to acknowledge with
 many thanks the gift
 of 20 Hiawatha
 issued from the Royal
 Astric Guild.
 They will bring valuable
 & instructive specimens
 for many years.

Shirley Smith

22 Livingston

Jan 22 09

RF S

18 misc. dup.
18.11.09

Buncil School 710

Bledlow Ridge

Wallingford.

Dear Sir, (564) 28/11/09

I am glad to hear of your
to form a collection of
specimens for my school
museum. May I invite

your valuable assistance
by asking for specimens

of seeds, and of trees
which I understand you have

been kindly
sending to Buncil School.

Thanking you in anticipation

Schools.

Still

Snowdon

(565) Sussex

H.

18 misc. dup.
18.11.1909
J.H.H.
711

I am.

Yours faithfully
John Wm Garner

The nearest station is
West Wycombe.
(GWR)

Knowing your
generosity to
wishing to
botanical

Knowledge & Respectfully
Ask for Specimens
for museum or
Cultivation. We have
nearly 500 children
on the roll & should

Council Schools. 18 misc. dup.
 White Hill 18. ii. 1909
 Crowbars 8th
 (565) Sussex 711

25-2-14.

Dear Sir, -
 Knowing your
 encouragement to
 schools wishing to
 impart botanical
 knowledge, I respectfully
 ask for specimens
 for museum or
 cultivation. We have
 nearly 500 children
 on the roll & should

H. H. H.
H. H. H.

much appreciate and
specimens you could
spare.

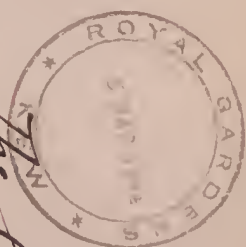
Believe me

Yours Respectfully

J. H. H.

H. H. H.

And. To supplement available
 Reports in Gen. Product-
 of the forest of India.
 J. M. O.
 P. 3. 54



ST. PETER'S HIGH SCHOOL,

MANDALAY,

the

11th Feb

1904

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11 Mar 1904

The Curator,

The Botanical Museum,
 Kew.

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Sir,
 I shall be much obliged to
 you for kindly sending
 me specimens of
 fibres & seeds.
 I shall be much obliged to
 you for kindly sending
 me specimens of
 fibres & seeds.

Thanking you in
 anticipation,

Yours faithfully,
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R. J. O.
 Director.



Warwickshire Education Committee.

Warton School.
 Atherton Department

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 18-11-04
 J. H. K.

Ward.
 Mar 11. 04
 Station Polesworth



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(567)

I should be

very glad to receive
 specimens of fishes
 and seeds for use
 in this school.

Yours faithfully
 J. Treckenall
 Atherton

Warton School
 Atherton
 10th Mar 1904

Warwickshire Education Committee.

Warton

School.

Atherstone

Department.

29th Feb 1909

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Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge
with many thanks receipt
of parcel of specimens.
Again thanking you

I remain

Yours faithfully

F. Trecknell

The Curator,

Botanical Museum

Received.
Mar. 13. 1909
18 miles. Delivered.
18. 11. 04
St. Joseph's School.
Beywood.
dances.
10.3.04.

(568)

from the
that you
out specimens
needs. I wish
as kind
with a parcel
I sending
4 miles

The Curator
Kew Gardens

Thomas Ormerod



Received
Mar. 13. 1904
18 miles. 11.50
J. H. Joseph's School.
Hegwood.
dances.
10.3.04.

The Curator,

Botanical Museum

Wex.

(568)

Dear Sir

Seeing from the

"Leask's Aid" that you

are sending out specimens

of fibres and seeds, I wish

to ask you to be so kind

as to favour us with a parcel

(if you are still sending

them out.)

I do not mind

The Curator
Kew Gardens

Thomas Ormerod

Campion, Pansy, Poppy, Broom
Goose.

Balsam.

Sycamore, Ash, Oak, Elm,
Pine.

Burdock, Cleavers, Yeast.

Wandelson, Willow, Poplar.

P.S. Seeds, leaves, woods,
barks etc. would be useful
as illustrations

paying carriage, if necessary.

In this School we have
lessons on the subjects on
the opposite page, and
if you could send us either
seeds or illustrations you
would earn the respect
and hearty thanks of
my teachers.

I am

Yours Very Sincerely

C. W. Loggins.

Head master.

25. Mary's St. Nelson. Lancs
Mar. 15 11 04

Mar. 15th 04

Dear Sir,

(529) 716

In reply to your favour of the 11th inst. I beg to state that the school to which I am going is Bradley Council Sch. Nelson, and I shall be there after the Easter Holidays.

The parcel has been sent to Walverley
school by you.

If you only send parcels
of seeds to Headmasters of Schools,
the H.M. of Bradley School
is Mr J. Brown.

Thanking you for your
kind attention in this matter
I remain

Yours very faithfully

W. Holland Esq.

Thos Ormerod

Heard if, when
I parcel to my home
since I am now
lost, having obtained
my faithful
Thomas Dwyer.

A few weeks ago (^{September} Oct) I wrote for
 some specimens of seeds, fibres, and other
 things suitable for class purposes; you were
 kind enough to state that my enquiry had
 been filed and would receive attention in

I have
 Dear Sir,
 I have the pleasure to inform
 you that the specimen sent by
 you has been received.
 I have the honor to be,
 Sir, your obedient servant,
 J. S. May Jr. St. John. N. H.
 10th Nov. 1847

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Up 14th of

Apr 14th 04

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two weeks ago &
to send a parcel
at Bradley School.
Mr ~~Bradley~~ Brown (the
does not wish
any seeds and
d be pleased if
not send any

'to me

Thanking you for your
kind attention

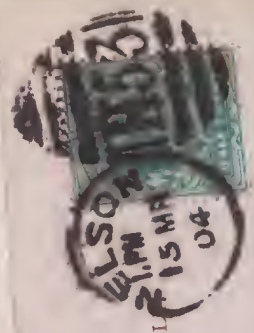
I remain
Yours faith. fully

The Curator
Kew Gardens

Thomas Otmer

POST CARD.

ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE ONLY



J. H. Holland Esq
The Curator
The Museums
Royal Gardens
Kew

Wanted to report all the specimens
from the school

Dear Sir,

a few weeks ago (February) I wrote for

some specimens of seeds, fibres, and other
things suitable for class purposes; you were
kind enough to state that my enquiry had
been filed and would receive attention in
due time. I should be pleased if, when
sending, you ^{would} address the parcel to my home
address, Nethalamben School, since I am now
about to leave Nethalamben School, having obtained
a higher position. Yours very faithfully
Thomas Omerod

School, Nelson, Lancs
Apr 14th 04

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to send a parcel
at Bradley School;
Mr ~~Brown~~ (the
does not wish
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kind attention

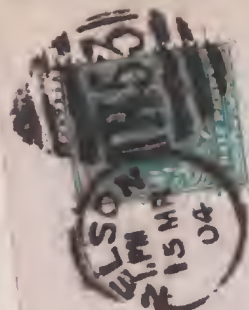
I remain
Yours faithfully

Thomas Omerod

The Curator
Kew Gardens

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e Museum
Royal Gardens

Royal Gardens

The Curator
Kew Gardens
London

Bradley School, Nelson, Lancs
Apr 14th 04

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Dear Sir,

A few weeks ago I requested you to send a parcel of seeds to me at Bradley School; I find that Mr ~~Brown~~ (the Headmaster) does not wish to receive any seeds and so I should be pleased if you would not send any to me.

Thanking you for your kind attention

I remain
Yours faithfully

Thomas Ormerod

The Curator
Kew Gardens

Encls

RAIL GARDEN

Bucks County Education Committee.



Bucks County Education Committee.

Received
18 Mar 1904
18 Mar 1904



At the Gallopington School.

Herbert Baggett, Department.

COUNTY SCHOOL NO.

18 Mar 1904

Dear Sir (570)

For the teaching of
Native Study and as an
addition to my School Museum
I should esteem it a great
favor if you would kindly
present me with a few
specimens of seeds etc.

They would form a
valuable addition to my
collection.

Yours faithfully

W. Macintosh

Secretary

Antiquarian Museum



Bucks County Education Committee.

Encls.

State Goldington School.

Chesham Agrell Department.

COUNTY SCHOOL NO.

22 Feb. 1909.

Dear Sir.

I receive your parcel
of specimens for our museum
for which please accept
my sincere thanks.

Yours faithfully
W. H. H. H. H.

The Director

Royal Gardens

New.

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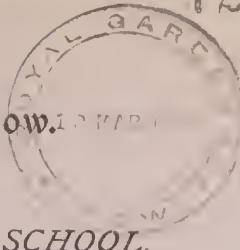
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1904
11. 11. 09



Answered
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School Board of Glasgow.



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Oakbank PUBLIC SCHOOL.

Mar. 17 1904

The Curator

Botanical Museum (571)
Kew.

Dear Sir,

We are forming a School
Museum here, and would be extremely
grateful to you, were you to favour
us with some botanical specimens.
Hoping you will do us this favour
and assuring you of our most
sincere thanks,

I am,

Yours truly,

James Craig.

Headmaster.

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Dear Sir,
of Cambridge

Council of the
Museum
P. M. M. M.
23. 3. 04

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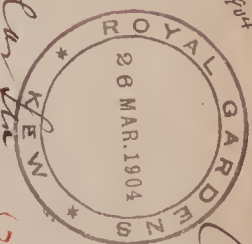
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18.11.04



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15. 11. 09
J.H.H.

March 26. 1904



Dear Sir

(572)

Council of the
Maball Ward
P. Maball
28. 3. 04

If Council to you, I
should like it a great favor
to receive from you for exhibit
a piece of fabric and seeds.
I am pleased to pay a
reasonable fee.

Thanking you in anticipation
I am,

Yours truly,
R. H. H.

Received of Mr. J. H. Leigh
the sum of £10.00
for the purchase of
10.11.01. 10.11.01. 10.11.01.

Council
PLEASLEY SCHOOL BOARD.
PLEASLEY-SCHOOLS,
Near MANSFIELD.

Mar 25th 1904

The Curator of
(573)
Botanical Gardens, Here,

Dear Sir,
I shall take it as
a very great favour if you will
kindly state whether, and on
what conditions, you would
loan specimens for the
purpose of illustrating Object
Lessons

I am,
Sir,
Yours respectfully
E. Leigh



March 31. 04
Liverpool 18. 11. 04

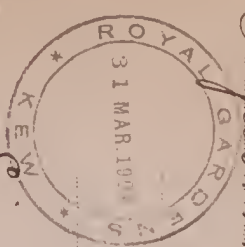
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Liverpool School Board.

Deverth St David School

Junior's Department

30. III. 1904



Dear Sir, (574)

Being in an educational paper that you

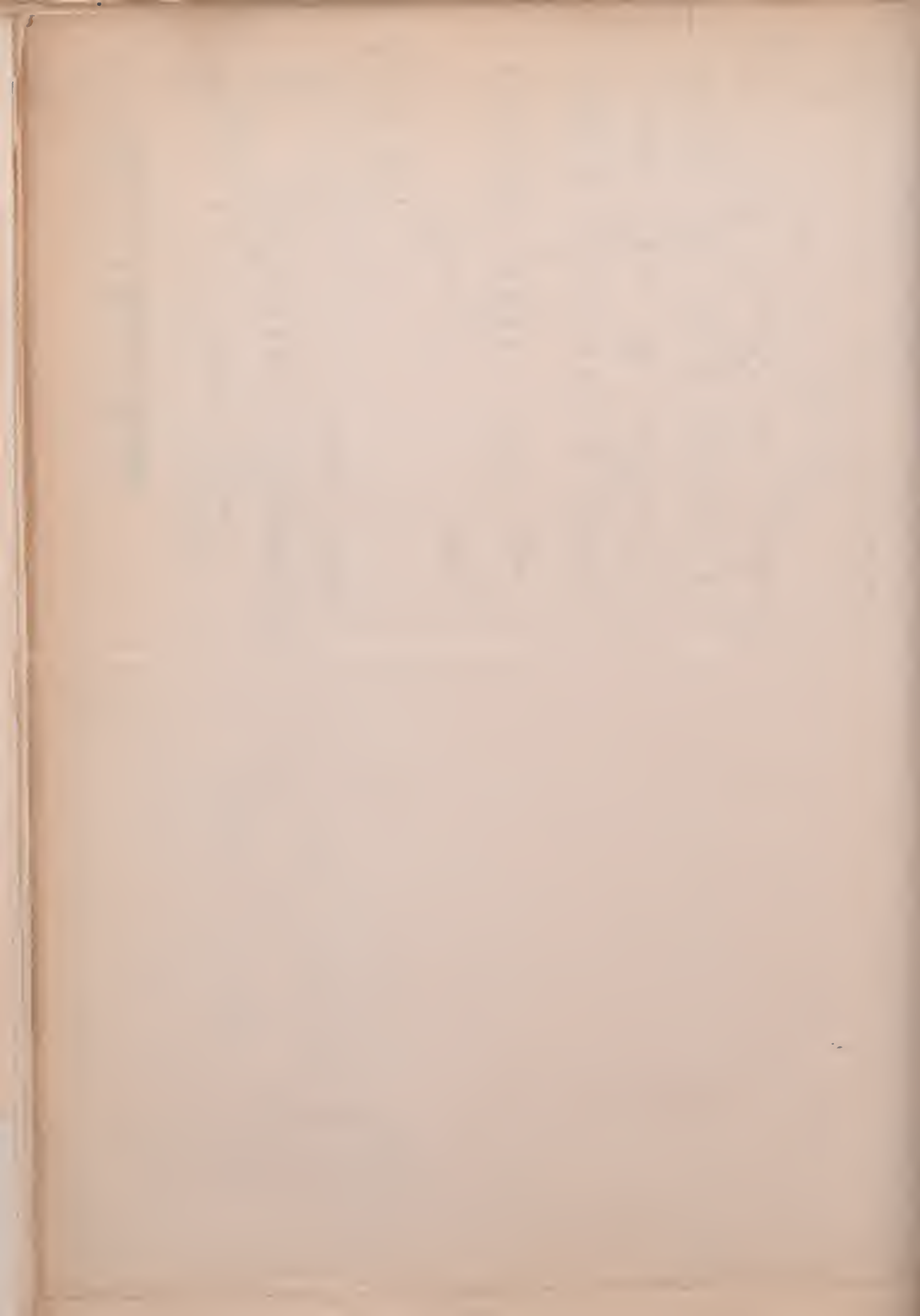
supply parcels of fibres & seeds free to schools, I should be very glad if you will send us a parcel. They will be much

appreciated by of great use to the children of our large school in aiding

them in their nature study lessons.

Yours truly,

L. Davies,
Headmistress



Liverpool Education Committee.

Received of
 H. C. Roberts
 Feb. 23rd 1909.



The Head Mistress of the
 Juniors' Dept. of the above
 School thanks the Directors
 of the Royal Botanic Gardens,
 Liverpool, for the parcel of
 miscellaneous museum
 specimens received yesterday.

27 54
No. 10 is same of school
admission on usual form

Apr. 29 64

18 miss. dup.

18.11.09

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25th April 1904

Dear Sir.

Would you be kind

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enough to send me a few samples tho

of seeds! Bottom, because for exhibition
needing purification? From Emerald

Donnerstag

to be

of Walworth Sch., Nelson told me of them I enclosed 6 in stamps to cover

as to in diameter to cover

hostage

Thanking you in anticipation

Yours truly

Lantern

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The Liberator

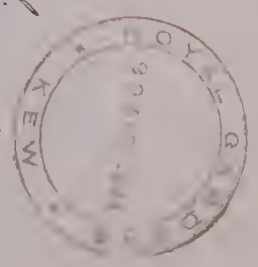
Royal Gardens

Udd. - Stridman.

Received
 22
 11 B. 11
 622

Dear Sir
 Some
 for
 beg
 he's
 Sam

Dear Sir,



28th April 1904

In reply to your communication
 of the 27th inst. I beg to say that the
 seeds I asked you to send are
 for Longchape School, Nelson, to
 which School I belong. I shall be
 pleased to receive them at your
 convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Samuel Nixon

The Librarian,

Museum Dept.

Royal Gardens,

D. M. A. High.

to handwriting

Handwritten



729

Received by Mr. J. H. Ballymaglave N.S.,
Ballymaglave N.S.,
Co. Down 11.5.04.

(577)

Dear Sir,

As I

Sometim

for each

bag leave

be so so

same

I

No 5-76

M. J. R. Dineen
S.E. Agric. College, Wye, Kent
ap. 29. 1904

retained at Museum

not yet convenient to supply the specimens

desired (Forestry, diseases etc.).

J.H.H.

22.11.09

Received of Mr. J. B. Maglave N.S.,
Ballymaglave N.S.,
Co. Down 11. 5. 04.

229

(577)



Dear Sir,

As I understand that you
Sometimes present Specimens
for exhibition in Schools, I
beg leave to ask if you would
be so good as to extend the
same favour to me.

I remain, Dear Sir,

Very truly yours
John W. Mather
Thos. Mather.



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Ballynaglave N.S.
Ballynahinch
Down 23/109



Dear Sir,

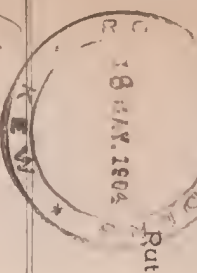
Many thanks for the
parcel of specimens, which
I duly & safely received
today.

It is a most interesting
collection, & will be highly
 prized by myself & my
 pupils. For our School Museum.

Yours V. Sincerely,
John Mather

Thurs. May 19. 18. 18.
From 18. 18.

THE HEAT



My
being
give speci-
mens to
school.



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at Council Girls' School,
Swansea.

24. 2. 09.

accept my
the parcel
specimens you
forwarded me &
received on

Dear Sir,
faithfully,
Florence S. Jones.
(Ed. Mistress.)

MEMORANDUM.

From 18. 19. 1904.
16. 11. 1904.

THE HEAD MISTRESS,

Rutland Street Board School,

SWANSEA.

To the Curator

Botanical Museum

Swan.

(578)



Seeing in the "Teachers' Aid," that you very kindly
give specimens of fibres and seeds, to school
museums, I venture to beg a set for this girls'
school. Thanking you in anticipation.

I am, Sir

Yours truly
(Miss) B. S. Jones

The Director
Rutland Street.

11/11

11/11



Rutland Street Council Girls' School,
Swansea.

24. 2. 09.

Dear Sir

Please accept my
best thanks for the parcel
of Museum Specimens you
so kindly forwarded me &
which I duly received on
the 22nd inst.

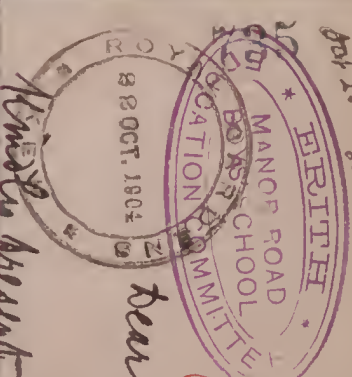
I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Horace L. Jones.
(Ed. Mistress.)

The Director,
New Museum.

Amount 1.00
Oct 23. 1904



Edith Kent.
(581) 21/10/04.

Dear Sir,

I am sorry to hear that you are not well. I am sorry to hear that you are not well. I am sorry to hear that you are not well.

Amount 1.00
Oct 23. 1904

(580)

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21 MAY 1904

17-5-04

(579)

Amount 1.00
Oct 23. 1904

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Dear Sir,
I feel obliged if you would

kindly let me have some fibres

and seeds

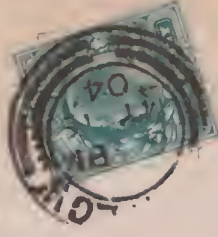
20 Birch. 1/2 doz. 1/2 doz.

14. 5. 04

For Breton.

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POST CARD.



The Curator,

Botanical Museum,

Kent

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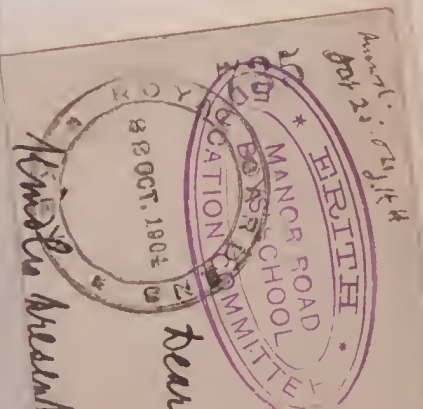
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(580)

Answered 1.0.04

20 Minal. Pres. met
14-7-09
LSD



Dear Sir,

(581)

Edith Kent.

21/10/04.

May I ask if you will
kindly present the above school with
specimens to illustrate
above study.
as far as possible.
I should be much obliged.
Yours faithfully,
—

Edith

1904

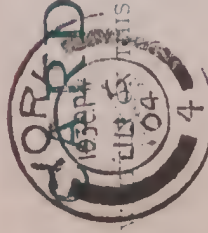
Answered 1.0.04
Edith Kent.

POST CARD.



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THE ADDRESS TO BE



THIS SIDE

ration,

anical Museum,

Hew

Old World
of the Antiquary
New York

Received of Mr. J. H. ...

Geo. J. Lat. Swell.

Switzerland.

Nov. 24th 1904

Dear Sir (582)

With thank.

(581) 21/10/04.

Dear Sir,

May I ask you with

kindly present the above school with

some botanical specimens to illustrate

the lessons on Nature Study.

10 times. Good day. Yours faithfully,

13.7.05

J. H. J. Bennett.

Headmaster.



Received of Mr. J. H. ...

for the

to

these

in

lines



Received of Mr. J. H. Smith

Geo. S. Hart.
Swell.

Shaver.

Nov. 24th 1904

Dear Sir: (582)

Seeing that you are

presenting a parcel of fibres
these to Mr. S. Hart. I should be
glad to receive a supply for the
above order.

Believe me
to kind. Yours very truly

Yours truly
H. S. Hart

Headquarters

To the Curator



Received
on account of form
Nov. 22 1884

Orlando College School
Hempford

Nov 18 84

(583)

Gentlemen

The Pupils of the above
are awaiting for an exhibit
for Dec 1st the proceeds to be
sent to D. Barnard's store;

Can you kindly send us by sending
us - Botanic Specimens: as exhibits.

Yours Respectfully

J. B. Johnson

Botanical room * for work
Hempford,
20 miles from
sent. 14. 7. 07
W.D.



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Many thanks for your kind
 promise enclosed in yours of the
 2nd

Yr. Very truly
 J. B. Hume.

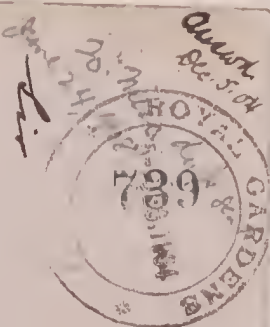
Nov. 23rd 04

Dear Sir

I should like to see a great
 favour if you could supply me with a
 certificate as to
 the value of the
 material

Yours Respectfully
 John M. Boyd
 111 Market

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(584)

School House
 Wellington Common
 Hutton
 Dec 3rd 1904

I have for a
 while been
 (175)
 at all times
 if you will
 enough to send
 the specimen

for suspension in
 school room & for making
 surfaces.
 20 kind spec marks of fuel,
 sent.
 14. 7. 09
 W.D.

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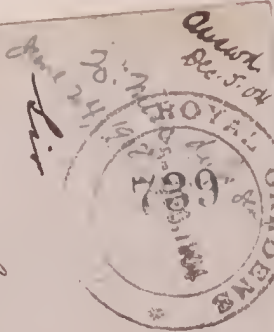
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He Dveth

Royal Botanic Garden

Kew.





(582)

School House

Dunlington Common

Halton

Dec 3rd 1904

Dear Sir

I should like to see a great

number of your manufacture as I

have specimens of your great use in my

shall find them of great use in my

I am yours faithfully
John M. Boyde
Hd Master

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shall find
it of use with
enough to send
the cement

for extension
of school room & for teaching
hurl & sleds,
20 kind spec from of fully
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Dec 5 1904

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THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE.



The Director

Royal Botanical Gardens

Kew

Garden

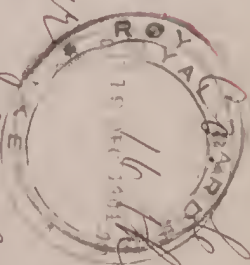
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 ROYAL GARDENS
 1904
 Dear Sir,
 I am sorry to hear
 that you are not
 well enough to see
 the specimens
 for suspension in
 school room & for teaching
 purposes.
 20 small specimens of fish,
 sent.
 14. 7. 09
 W.D.

740

up a museum I hope
 to be getting

Dear Sir,
 16th Dec.

(585)



Sir, I am sorry to hear
 that you are not
 well enough to see
 the specimens
 for suspension in
 school room & for teaching
 purposes.

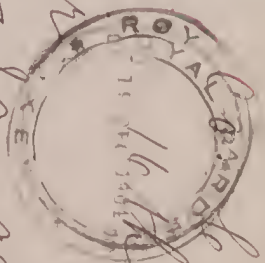
Dear Sir,
 16th Dec.



Received P.O. No. 11
Dec 16 1891

Wilma Leck Borgstrom

(68-2)



Dear Sir
16th Dec.

As I am getting
up a museum I hope
you will be good
enough to send me
for that purpose some
specimens of wood etc.
and oblige

Yours very faithfully

Thomas Gray

The Secretary

The Museum Plant Garden

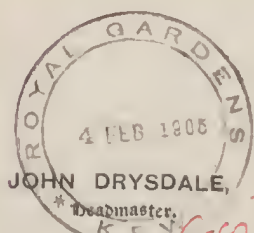
20 Wimp. Square London

14.7.09
W.D.

20 Wimp. Square, London
14.7.09
W.D.

Respectfully,
Thomas Gray, Headmaster.





Ans'd Feb. 6. 1905
H.K.

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Zetland School,

Grangemouth, 3rd Feb. 1905.

Dear Sir. I am at present endeavoring to get a few specimens of different manufactures for this school. We are unfortunately without anything of this kind. Descriptive wall charts and specimens of goods in various stages of manufacture are now of the highest importance both for class teaching and for occasional reference. I therefore feel the want very much.

I will count it a very great favor if you can see your way to give me, say, a dozen or two of the kind I have indicated above connected with the production of your goods.

I am aware that in some cases the specimens are of such a nature that a charge must be made for them, if this is so in your case I shall be happy to arrange. I trust to have an early & favorable reply.

20 kind. Spec. sent. Yr. faithfully, John Drysdale, Headmaster.
14.7.09 W.D.

Received
Jan 10. 1905

Park Council School
Rhonda Valley
South Wales.

813/05.

Dear Sir (588)

An attempt is being made to form a Museum at the above school which was recently opened & I venture to appeal to you for assistance.

A donation of (say) three seeds would be highly appreciated by Teachers & Pupil as Nature Study plays an important part in the school-life.

If you can see your way clear to extend to your patronage & seed assured you are contributing largely towards brightening the lot of many.

Thanking you in anticipation

20 kind. spec. sent.

14. 7. 09

Yours Humbly

J. Evans (Assoc. Master)

me any specimens of woods, leaves etc I am sure these would be highly appreciated both by myself and the scholars

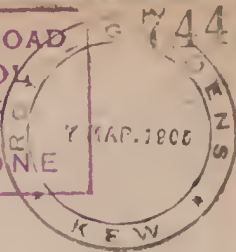
20 kind. spec. sent

14. 7. 09 W.D.

NORLINGTON ROAD
BOYS' SCHOOL

7 MAR. 1905

LEYTONSTONE



Dear Sirs (589)

We are gathering specimens for our School Museum for the use of the children attending here. Can you assist us with any articles used in your ~~manufactory~~ ^{Gardens}?

Thanking you in anticipation

20 kind. Spec. sent

14.7.09 W.D.

yrs. faithfully,
F. Smith

Head Master

TY BOROUGH OF ST. HELENS
Education Committee



new Str. Council

Mar. 10.

1905

Curator of The Museum,

Dear Sir

I am gathering together various articles toward the formation of a Museum in this school — a new school of 2400 children.

If you could send me any specimens of woods, leaves etc. I am sure these would be highly appreciated both by myself and the scholars.

20 kind. Spec. sent

14.7.09 W.D.



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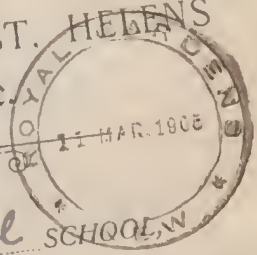
THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE

*The Curator
Botanical Museum
Kew*

*Answered
Mar 10 1905*

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COUNTY BOROUGH OF ST. HELENS
Education Committee.



Alanson Str. Council
Mar 10. 1905

(590)

The Curator of The Museum,

Dear Sir

I am gathering
together various articles toward
the formation of a Museum in
this school — a new school
of 400 children.

If you could send
me any specimens of woods,
leaves etc. I am sure they
would be highly appreciated
both by myself and the
scholar.

*20 incl. spec sent
14.7.09
W.D.*

*Answered
Mar 21 1905
H.H.*

Alanson Str. Council

*run but for
a short time*



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L Museum
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Thanking you in anticipation

Believe me

Yours faithfully

Rev. Dr. H. C. Cooke

(H. C. Cooke)

Recd. 24/3/05
Hb. 24/3/05

Market School,

New Deh,

24/3/05



Sir, (541)

Will you kindly favour
me with samples of fibres and
seeds for display in school?

I am, Sir,

Yours truly,

A. Dumbat,

The Curator,

The Botanical Museum,

Decc.

20 Munt. Ave. road.

14.7.09
LSD.

... and ...

Received
Mar 20 '08
Postlett Station
Mid. Ry.

Encl. (M)



Will you please forward me
with a supply of botanical
specimens for the Sel. museum?

and oblig.

20 kind. spec. sent by Mr. Muel.

12.1.0.0.0.0.

Wm. Muel.
Hd. Master

Victoria Girls' Sch.
County Council Sch.
Boys' Dept.
Hendley
Hendley

Victoria Girls' Sch.
Penarth. 748

2. 5. 05.

we are still
specimens for
museums. I should be
greatly obliged if I
might receive same.

Thanking you
in anticipation.

I am,

Yours faithfully,

M. A. Rosciter.

(Head Mistress)

Victoria Girls' Sch.
Penarth. 749

Oct 20 '09.

Thank you
to my letter.
school was
sent to several
specimens but
was not my list of those
to be sent, & had quite
forgotten the matter.

The specimens are very
acceptable, and have
already proved helpful.

Apologizing for trouble
given - am, etc.

Yours truly,
M. A. Rosciter



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THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE.

*The Secretary,
Kew Gardens,*

Ans. 14
May 3. 1905

(593) sent.
21 min. 21.09

Victoria Girls' Sch
Penarth. 748

2. 5. 05.

Dear Sir.

If you are still
granting specimens for
museums. I should be
greatly obliged if I
might receive same.

Thanking you
in anticipation.

I am,

Yours faithfully
Dr. A. Rossiter.

Head Mistress

a Girls' Sch.
Penarth. 749

& Oct 20 '09.

Thank you
to my letter.
School was
sent to several
specimens but

was not sent
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forgotten the matter.

The specimens are very
acceptable, and have
already proved helpful.
Apologizing for trouble
given and am, etc.

Yours truly
Dr. A. Rossiter

Penarth
Glam.

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THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE.

Stary,
Gardens,

*The Director
Botanical Gardens.
Hankow.*



THIS SPACE MAY BE USED FOR PRINTED OR
WRITTEN MATTER FOR INLAND USE ONLY.
ONLY THE ADDRESS TO BE
WRITTEN HERE.

OMMITTEE.

School,

Department,

Group,

Oct 14 1909

Parcel of
 , which will
 be our lessons.

Victoria Girls' Sch
 Penarth 749
 Notes 21.X.09.
 & Oct 20 '09.

Dear Sir,

I beg to thank you
 for the reply to my letter.
 When this school was
 opened, 1900, I sent to several
 places for specimens but
 did not keep list of those
 to whom sent, & had quite
 forgotten the matter.

The specimens are very
 acceptable, and have
 already proved helpful.

Apologizing for trouble
 given, and am, etc.

Yours truly,
 Penarth

Penarth
 Glam.



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THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE.

Stary.

Worcester

THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE.

POST CARD



L. Shattuck & Sons
Worcester, Mass.
Dear Sirs

GLAMORGAN EDUCATION COMMITTEE.



Victoria School,

Girls' Department,

Penarth Group,

Oct 14 1909

Dear Sir,

I beg to thank you for Parcel of
Museum Specimens received today, which will
be very useful in connection with our lessons.

Yours truly
M. A. Rossiter.

Penarth
Glam.

GLAMORGAN EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

Victoria

School,

Girls'

Department,

Penarth.

Group,

Oct 15

1909

Dear Sir,

Yesterday I received a parcel of museum specimens from Kew, an acknowledgement of which I forwarded to you per return.

To-day I find that it has to be paid for carriage, which the carrier omitted to claim yesterday, asking to tell me of his error this afternoon.

I am now under the impression that the specimens were sent in answer to an application for same, probably some other school.

If you are able to enlighten me on the matter, I will see that the same are forwarded to the person for whom they were meant.

I thank you in anticipation.

I am, Sir,

Yours truly

M. A. Fosseter

(Head Mistress)

Victoria Girls' Sch.

Penarth

Glam.

the winding
of the river
is a great
feature for
the museum
12.8.05.
Just
16.10.09





The Curator

Botanical Museum

Kew Gardens
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ate head.
754
delighted
in illus-
ufactures
of Lessons.
send me

thfully.

Enna.

(Head Teacher)

MEMORANDUM.

15. X. 1909

To The Director,
Royal Botanic Gardens,
Kew.

From 753

THE HEAD MASTER,
Morriston Council School,
SWANSEA.

SWANSEA.

Dear Sir,

Please accept my best thanks for the

valuable ~~Museum~~ specimens forwarded to this school.

I shall highly appreciate all specimens you may be

able to send in future. May I ask you to direct any further

parcels as follows:- Mr Wm Davies,
Headmaster
Morriston School,
Swansea.

Yours faithfully
Wm Davies.

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W.C.

St. Oswald's Sch.
 Sept. 6/10
 Wrekenston
 Gatehead.
 754

Dear Sir,
 I should be delighted
 to receive specimens & illus-
 trations of your manufactures
 for our museum & Object Lessons.
 Trusting you can send me

some.
 I am, Yours Faithfully,
 (Miss) M. McKenna.
 (Head Teacher)

Paid 11.05
 10.05
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 school
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Recd.
12x.09
W.

Amst. 10.05
Sept. 10.05
12x.09
W.

ROYAL GARDEN OF POOR CLARES,
BALLYJAMESDUFF.

Co. Caban.



(346)

10. 9. '05

The Curator
Botanical Museum.

I would be deeply grateful
if you would forward to me the
above address specimens that
would be suitable for a 'School
Museum'.

Thanking you in anticipation

Yours,

Yours sincerely,
The Librarian



W.D.
12x.09
W.D.



J. M. F. C.

Convent of Poor Clares,

Ballyjamesduff.

To Calcutta.

Oct 19th 79

Mr. Director
R. B. Gardens.

Dear Sir,

I desire to thank you
sincerely for the Museum
specimens so carefully arranged
which I received quite safely on
16th ult. You will have a
conspicuous place in our Museum
and will prove very interesting
and instructive to children
who must have an opportunity
of seeing such things.

esent available for the provision of suitable cases for the

Kew Gardens.

It was indeed 'royal' of you
to remember us after such a
length of time and speaks
highly for the order and
regularity of your establishment
Thanking you once more,

I remain,
Yours Sincerely,
J. M. L. Callan

*Acc. to Hon
Curator Tottenham Mus.
Nov 2. 1905
J.H.H.*

Tottenham Urban District Council.

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LIBRARIES.

H. E. H. SMEDLEY, F.L.S., F.G.S.,

Curator of the Tottenham Museum.

Modeler of Paleozoic Fructifications to the Museums of the Royal College of
Science: Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh, British Museum;
Botanic Garden, Oxford; Owens College, Manchester;
University College, London; Liverpool Museum, &c.

Central Library,

395, High Road,

Tottenham,

October, 1905.

Dear Sir, or Madam,

From time to time, for some years past, the Public Libraries Committee have received suggestions that a Museum should be established in Tottenham.

An opportunity occurred during the present year for securing an excellent collection of Minerals and other Geological specimens for a nominal sum, and at the same time an offer was received from Mr. H. E. H. Smedley, F.L.S., F.G.S., to loan his Museum Collection to Tottenham, and to give his services as Honorary Curator.

After careful consideration the Public Libraries Committee decided that such opportunities should not be lost, and they accordingly asked the Urban District Council to avail themselves of these offers, and to provide accommodation for the reception and exhibition of the specimens. The Council accepted the offers and allocated three rooms on the first floor at "The Chestnuts," St. Ann's Road, for the purpose.

Further, the Council decided, as there are no funds at present available for the provision of suitable cases for the

Kew Gardens.

It was indeed 'royal' of you
to remember us after such a
length of time and speaks
highly for the order and
regularity of your establishment
Thanking you once more,

I remain,
Yours Sincerely,
J. M. L. Callan

*Acc. to Hon.
Curator Tottenham
Nov 2. 1905
J.H.H.*

Tottenham Urban District Council.

PUBLIC LIBRARIES.

(597)

Central Library,

395, High Road,

Tottenham,

October, 1905.

Dear Sir, or Madam,

From time to time, for some years past, the Public Libraries Committee have received suggestions that a Museum should be established in Tottenham.

An opportunity occurred during the present year for securing an excellent collection of Minerals and other Geological specimens for a nominal sum, and at the same time an offer was received from Mr. H. E. H. Smedley, F.L.S., F.G.S., to loan his Museum Collection to Tottenham, and to give his services as Honorary Curator.

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proper exhibition of the collections. to issue a public appeal for subscriptions for the purpose of furnishing the Museum, and for donations of objects of interest.

The cost of furnishing the Museum is estimated at £250.

The Museum collection already comprises about 5,000 specimens of Rocks, Minerals, and Fossils, forming a valuable and interesting nucleus, and also a few specimens of Zoological subjects.

Should the amount needed be subscribed, as the Committee earnestly trust, it is intended that the collections should not only be available for the use of the general public, but they hope Science Circles of Students may be formed for the study of Nature, and that specimens from the collections should be loaned to the Schools of the District when required for illustrating similar work there.

Should this project commend itself to you, any contributions in money, or suitable objects for exhibition, may be sent either to the Chairman of the Committee, to the Librarian, or to the undersigned, at the Central Public Library, by whom they will be gratefully received and acknowledged.

I am,

Dear Sir, or Madam,

Yours obediently,

E. CROWNE,

Clerk of the Council.

Kew Gardens.

Tottenham Urban District Council.
Public Libraries and Museum Department.

FREDK JOHN WEST,
 LIBRARIAN.



Central Library, 395, High Road.
Branch Library, The Chestnuts, St. Ann's Road.
Branch Reading Room and Museum,
Bruce Castle.

Tottenham, 17th November, 1909.

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge, with thanks, the receipt of your letter with reference to our application for museum specimens for the Tottenham Museum. Your kind offer has come at a most opportune time as we are hoping to form almost immediately a botanical section for the use of students in the district.

I am sure that the gift will be highly appreciated by many visitors, and greatly esteemed by the Public Libraries Committee. I shall have much pleasure in reporting the gift at their next meeting.

Will you kindly address the box of specimens to F. J. West, Bruce Castle, Tottenham, N.

I am,

Yours most sincerely,

Fredk John West.
Librarian.

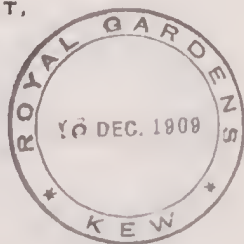
*one case containing 67 Museum
 duplicates forwarded Nov-19th 1909 J.F.W.*

*I Masters Hilmyer, Esq.,
 Keeper of the Museums,
 Kew Gardens.*



Tottenham Urban District Council.
Public Libraries and Museum Department.

FREDK JOHN WEST,
 LIBRARIAN.



Central Library, 395, High Road.
Branch Library, The Chestnuts, St. Ann's Road.
Branch Reading Room and Museum,
Bruce Castle

Tottenham, 10th December 1909.

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge, with thanks, the receipt of
Sixty-three varieties of Botanical specimens as a
donation to the Tottenham Museum, Bruce Castle.

I shall have much pleasure in submitting the
gift to the Public Libraries and Museum Committee
at their next meeting.

I am,
Yours faithfully,

Fredk John West.

Librarian

J. Masters Lillyer, Esq^r,
Keeper of the Museum,
Royal Gardens,
Kew.

Tottenham Urban District Council.
Public Libraries and Museum Department.



FREDK JOHN WEST
 LIBRARIAN.

Central Library, 395, High Road.
Branch Library, The Chestnuts, St. Ann's Road.
Branch Reading Room and Museum,
Bruce Castle.

Tottenham, 15th December 1909

Dear Sir

I am directed by the Public Libraries and Museum Committee to convey to you their best thanks for your donation of 63 Botanical Specimens to the Tottenham Museum, Bruce Castle.

I am,
Yours faithfully

Fredk John West

Librarian

J. Masters Gillies, Esq^r
Keeper of the Museums
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LORD BISHOP OF LONDON.

Founder and Hon. Secretary:

Mrs. C. W. KIMMINS,
Dame Armstrong House,
Harrow-on-the-Hill.
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Upper Lawn, Tulse Hill, S.W.

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[For particulars of terms, etc., apply to
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Chailey

Sussex

30 Woods Bank.

Nov 21st

Dec. 12 1905

J.H.H.



Dear Sir

The above school is a recognized Board of Education
Technical training school for crippled boys. We are most
anxious to further the work, by the formation of a small
museum of specimen pieces of timber etc. Having spent, and
derived much benefit by frequent visits to the splendid
timber museums at Rew. I hope you will excuse the
request of any help you could give us in forming that
collection. If you could possibly assist us by the sending
of any surplus specimens you may have, we should feel very
grateful. The study of the "Timbers of Commerce" etc

is taken in connection with their Technical Work
and is much appreciated and enjoyed by our afflicted
boys. Any specimen of section, or growth of wood, or
foliage, of which you could be our best adviser, that
could provide any educational interest, would be
thankfully accepted, and I enclose by same post
a copy of report on the school's work and object
hoping you will pardon this request if not able to
grant, and I remain.

yours obediently

Perry De Lykes

Lie William Threlton Dyer Esq. R.C.M.G.

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Received by Dr. H. H. The School House
 March 2, 1906
 Lundy,
 Idaho.
 March 2nd 1906.

Dear Sir,

I understand from
 fellow teachers that the
 Committee kindly allow
 any surplus specimens to
 be distributed for the
 purpose of instruction
 in schools.

I am writing to
 ask that if you have
 any at your disposal

Dear Sir,

if you would be so
kind as to grant some
for the use of this
school.

This is an entirely
agricultural district and
any such grant would be
highly appreciated.

Thanking you in
anticipation of a reply
I remain

Yours truly

Sarah A. Duns.

(H. A. Duns.)

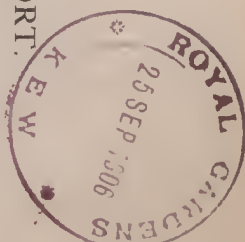
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MUNICIPAL MUSEUM,

VERNON PARK,

STOCKPORT.



To the Director
Royal Botanic Gardens

Here.

24th Sept. 1906.

Sir,

We desire to add to our exhibits of Wild Flowers, Ornamental Mosses, &c., specimens to illustrate economic botany, e.g. Brazil nuts in pods, Cocoa-nuts in husks, &c., and food-stuffs as yam, rice, &c., in husks. If you have specimens for exhibition they will be thankfully received, taken care of and displayed by us. It is the desire of my Committee to make the Park and Museum educational; and to that end we have recently formed and opened a "School Garden for Nature Study in the Park".

If you can place in under the "Famous Nations" class place also, and oblige -

Yours faithfully
Edmund Hewitt
Director

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County Borough of Stockport: Municipal Museum.

Vernon Park, Stockport,

Sir

19th Nov. 1909

I beg to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of

a case of specimens from the Museum
Royal Botanical Gardens, Kew, which
I will duly report to my Committee
at their Meeting on the 30th instant.

Yours faithfully,

Edward Hewitt

Curator.



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County Council of West Ham.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.
MEMORANDUM.



From Florence G. Burbridge

To the Manager

Head Teacher, Hilda Rd. Girls School,
Lanning Down

Royal Botanical Gardens
Kew

5. 10. 1906

Dear Sir,

I am informed that you present Schools with
specimens of wood for their museums this is a
new School, having been opened in June last,
and we should be very grateful for such
specimens for the Museum.

Thanking you in anticipation for your kind consideration
of this matter,

I am
yours faithfully
F. G. Burbridge

R. O. Pritchard

Head Master



COUNTY OF CARNARVON.

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The Curator

Sir

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Learning from the
Teacher's Aid that you forward gratis
a parcel of fibres & seeds etc suitable
for Nature Study, also a diagram
of injurious insects & pests. I

beg to solicit the same.

Yours truly,
R.O. Pritchard

Headmaster

Ans'd
Feb 19. 1907
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COUNTY BOROUGH OF ST. HELENS
Education Committee.

Thatcho Heath Council SCHOOL,

(603)

Feb 16th 1907

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Dear Sir,

ST. HELENS
mittee.

I should esteem it a great
favour if you could send me
Some specimens for our Museum
Cases.

SCHOOL,
Oct. 14 1909

This is a new school, fitted with
fine museum cases in the Central
Hall.

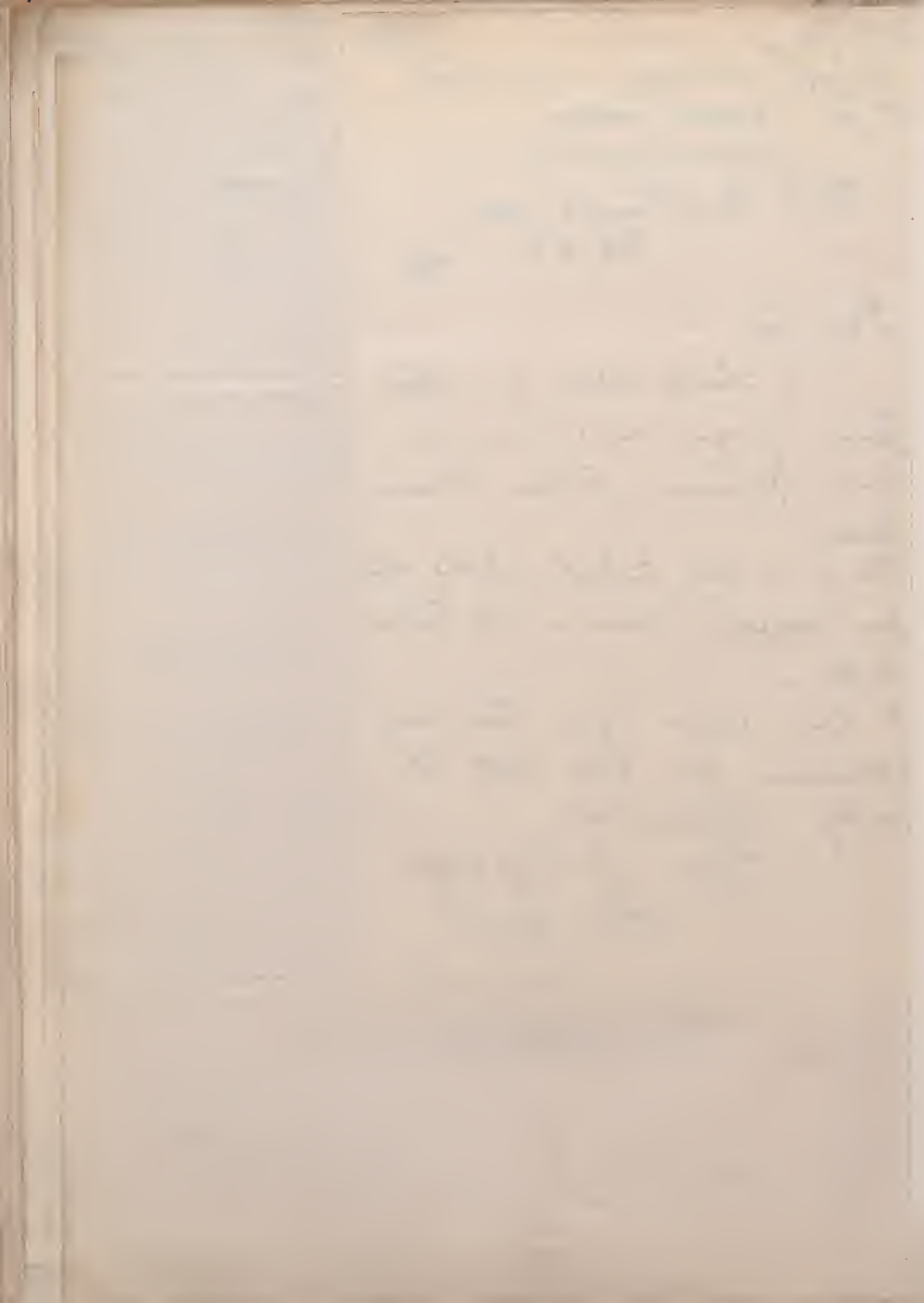
I can assure you that any
specimens you send will be
greatly appreciated.

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Yours faithfully,
R.W. Hicks
(Administrative)

Sincerely
W. Hicks

The Director
Royal Botanic Gardens,
Kew.



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COUNTY BOROUGH OF ST. HELENS
Education Committee.

Thos. Heath C. SCHOOL,

Oct. 14. 1909

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge
receipt of parcel of miscellaneous
Museum Specimens, and to
ask that you will accept
my best thanks.

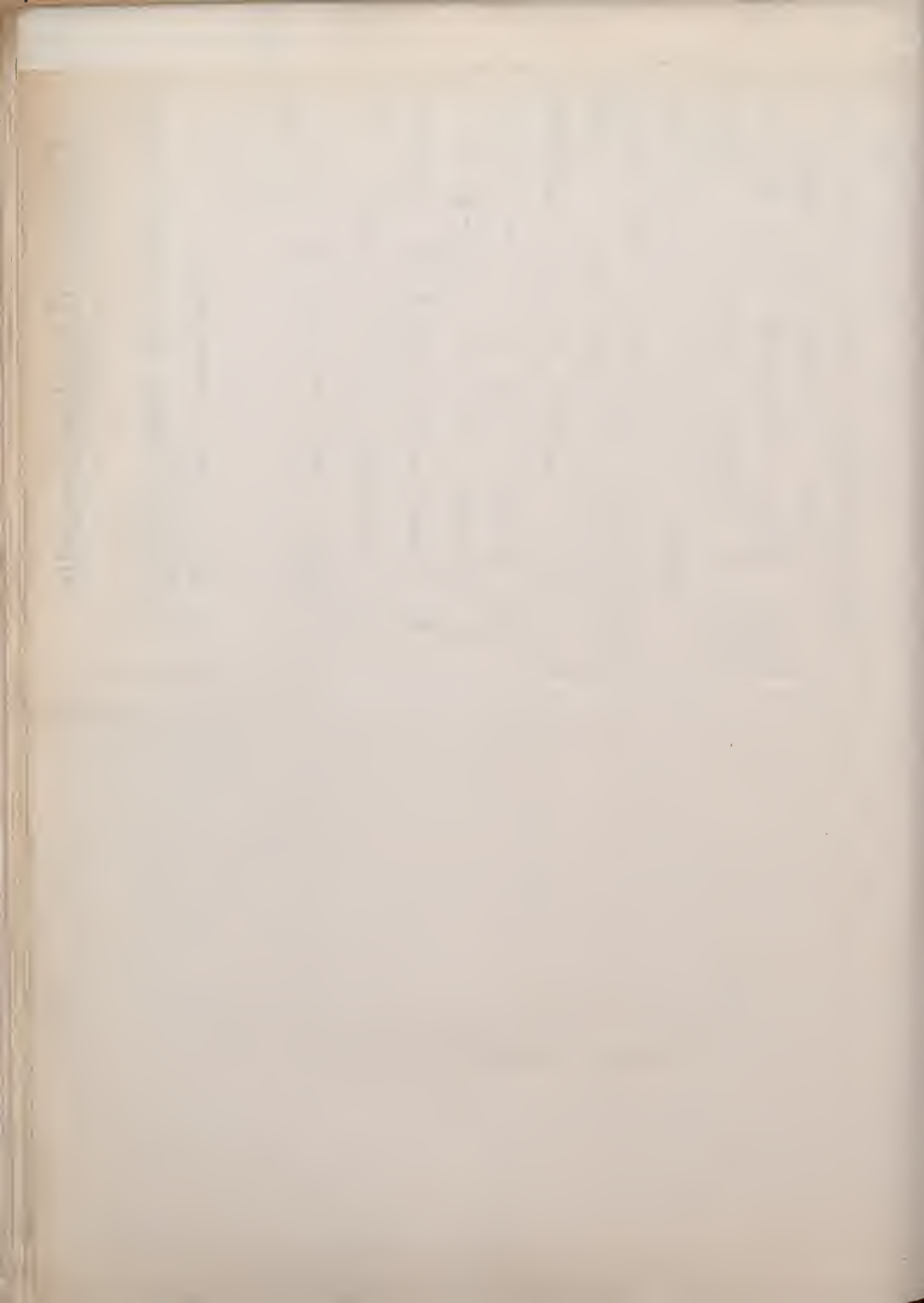
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The Director
Royal Botanic Gardens,
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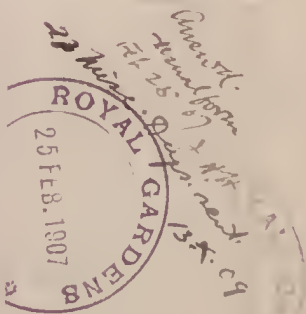
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 I hope you would be so very kind as
 to allow me to have my specimen of these



THE LADIES' COLLEGE,
 HARROGATE.

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FROM

Headmistress,

Liverpool Education Committee.

MEMORANDUM.

TO

The Director

New Gardens

Prince Edwin St

SCHOOL.

Liverpool, Oct. 20th 1909

Dear Sir

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of
 the parcel of museum specimens which
 arrived last week during our Autumn
 holiday. I tender thanks for the same.

Yours faithfully

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and also insectivorous and climbing plants -
 If you would be so very kind as
 to allow me to have my specimen of these
 from Kew I should be very grateful

I am
 Yours truly
 Edith White



Dear Sir

(605)

Feb. 24th 1907.

THE LADIES' COLLEGE,
 HARROGATE.

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I am stating a Museum

of preserved Botanical Specimens for
 this College, and I have been informed
 by Curators of other Museums that
 possibly you might be good enough to
 send me some specimens which I require
 for preparation, from Kew.

I wish especially to secure
 specimens of abnormal leaves, stems &
 & branchings; the cones of Conifers;





this favour I should be prepared
to pay for the carriage & any
incidental expenses.

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HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL.

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THE LADIES' COLLEGE,
HARROGATE.

March 11th 1907

Dear Sir

I am greatly obliged to
you for your reply to my request
for specimens of certain plants,
and your assurance that my
application shall be filed.

If you could supply me with
any material suitable for Museum
specimens, other than those I mentioned
I should be most grateful -
I am Y^{rs} faithfully
D. S. Clark

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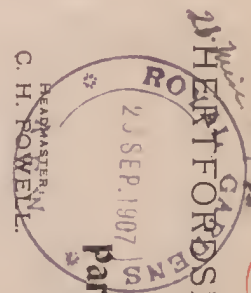
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Edith White
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to pay for the carriage & any
incidental expenses.

Trusting to receive a favorable
reply I am Sir

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Parkgate Road Boys' School.

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School.

WATFORD, Sept 21 1907.

Oct 15 1909

The Director of Botanical Garden



THE LADIES' COLLEGE,
HARROGATE.

Oct 15 1909.

We are delighted with the
parcel of specimens, which has just
reached us from Har, and beg to
offer you our very grateful thanks for
such choice specimens; they will form a
very valuable addition to our museum,
and we are hoping to rear some plants
from some of the seeds, in our botanic
garden.
With very expressive appreciation of
your remembrance of our request -

Yours truly
Edith White
(Teacher of Botany)

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incidental expenses.

Trusting to receive a favorable

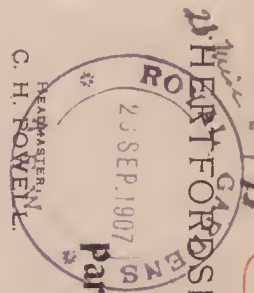
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I am Sir

Yours faithfully,

Chas. W. Powell

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Parkgate Road Boys' School.

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WATFORD, Sept 21st 1907.

Her 15th 1907

The Director of Botanical Gardens New

Sir Sir

The above school is a

new one was opened last Wednesday, as my

in the curriculum I am making

a special feature of Nature Study

especially Plant life.

I am writing to ask if you

could, me ^{send} some of the spare botanical

specimens from your gardens to

form a nucleus of a collection with

which to illustrate the lessons.

If you are able to grant me



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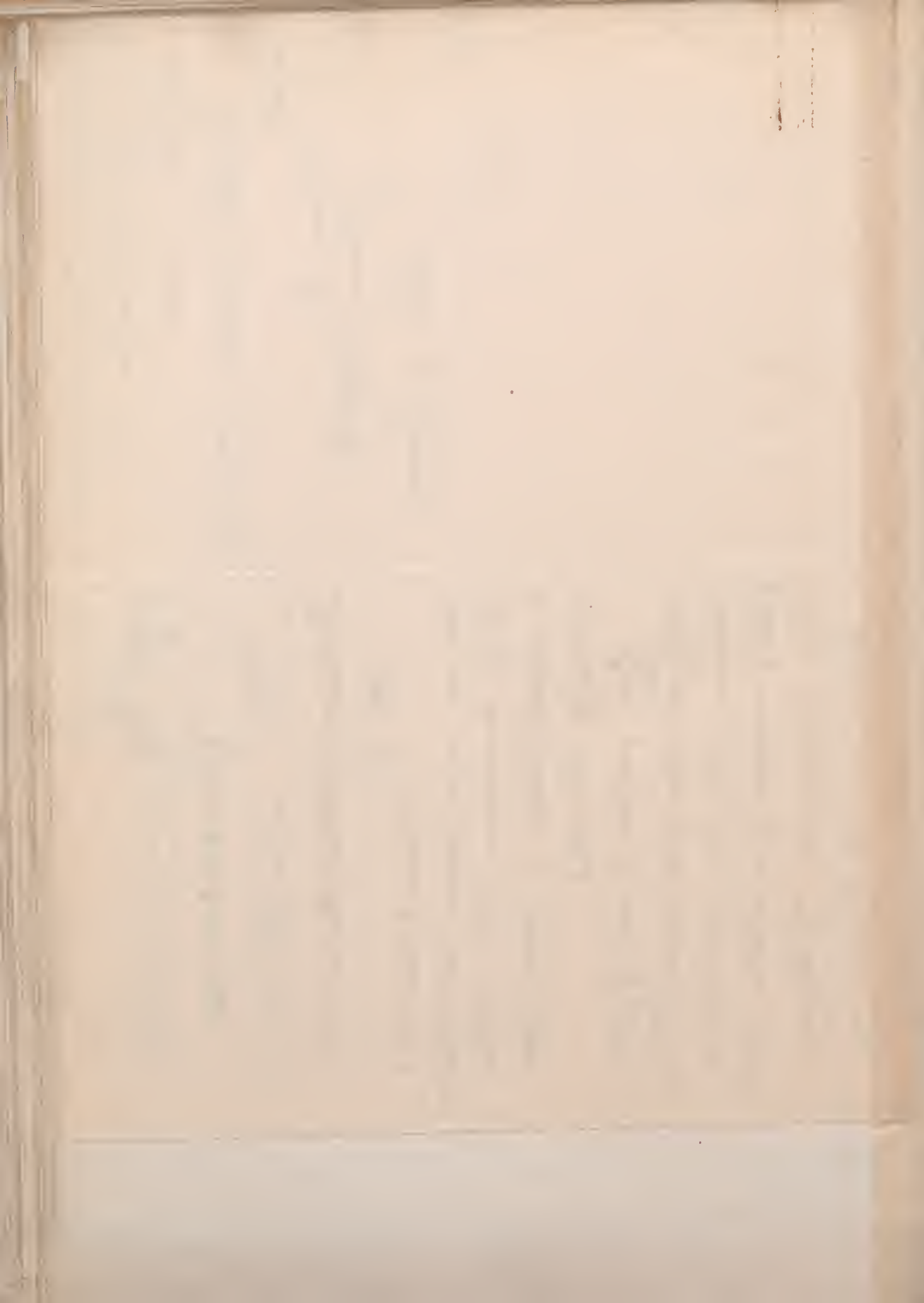
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W. Powell



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HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL.

Parkgate Road Boys' School.

HEADMASTER,
C. H. POWELL.

WATFORD, October 15, 1909

The Director.

Royal Botanic Gardens, &c.

Dear Sir,

I beg to thank you for the
scientific charts for your kindness
in sending a parcel of specimens.

They prove a valuable
addition to my museum and will
prove a help in illustrating our
lessons.

Believe me

Yours faithfully

Chas. H. Powell.

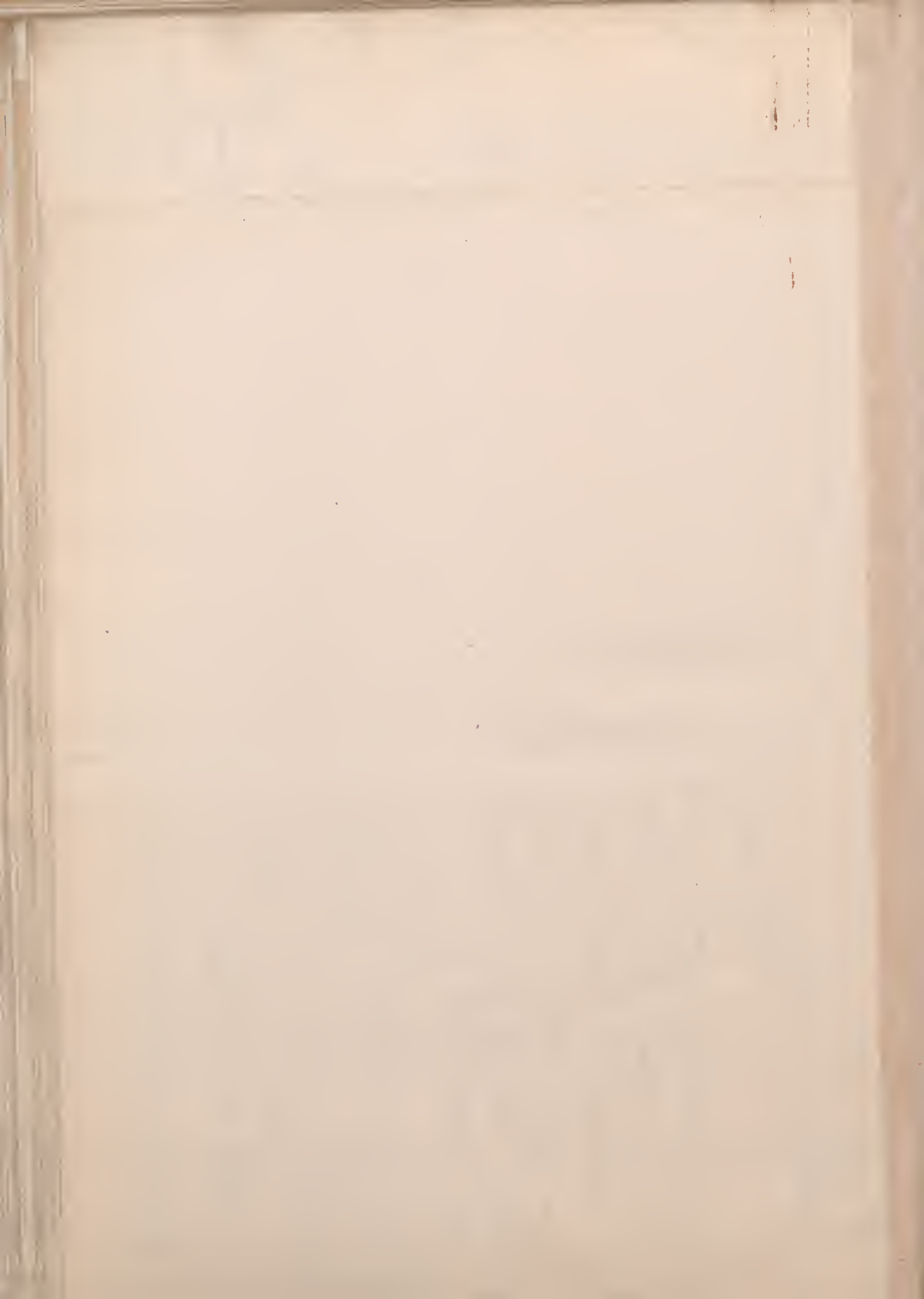
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The Letter is
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C. H. Powell, Head
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London County Council.

MEMORANDUM

MIXED

THE HEAD TEACHER, *Department*
BROOKFIELD ST. ANNE'S,

CHESTER ROAD

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He is a doctor.

Dear Sir,
 I have the pleasure
 to acknowledge the
 receipt of your
 letter of the 10th
 inst. and in reply
 to inform you that
 the same has been
 forwarded to the
 proper authorities
 for their consideration.
 I am, Sir, very
 respectfully,
 Yours,
 George N. Bryant

I should be deeply grateful if you could help me to form a museum here in the large (3/10) school wood, bark, leaves, fls. &c. will be especially useful as I teach woodwork and gardening here. T. R. 1907

Thank you
Believe

Yours faithfully

Arthur Riley F.F. 15

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26. 11. 09

Dear Sir,

Would you be

kind enough to furnish me
 with specimens that would
 be suitable to illustrate

a series of lessons on
 plant life, and the
 various products of the
 vegetable kingdom?

We are taking up
 the study of plant life
 in a general way.

George H. Bryant

but hope soon to take
it up in greater detail.

Trusting that you
will not consider I am
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liberty in writing to
you. I am.

Yours faithfully,

J. S. Bartlett

Std: Teacher.

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27 Pine woods Feb. 11. 1909
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LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL
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GEORGE H. BRYANT,
Lond. Univ., ~~London~~, A.C.P.
Head Master.

HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL,
DRYBROOK,
GLOUCESTERSHIRE.

MIXED DEPARTMENT
School No. 2499.

Advanced Certificates in
Chemistry, (Theoretical and
Practical); Heat, Agriculture,
Physiography, Hygiene,
Mechanics, Magnetism and
Electricity, and Woodwork.

16 February 1908



Dear Sir

Could you spare me a few
Specimens of Seeds, Fruits, Plants, or
Woods for use in Nature Study Teaching?
I shall be very grateful for anything
you can let me have, and it will be
well used and cared for.

Yours faithfully
George N Bryant

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Do faithfully,
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LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL
PADDINGTON TECHNICAL
INSTITUTE, SALTRAM
CRESCENT, W.

7/7/08.

Sir,

Having heard you are forwarding
Specimens of wood etc for educational purposes
in schools, I beg to apply for a parcel
of same for my use in the above institute.
I am making periodical visits to the
Royal Gardens, Kew. on Friday & Monday
afternoons with classes of boys to see
the timber & timber trees growing.
Any specimens or printed matter in
connection with timber will be
gratefully received by

Your obedient servant.

J. W. Sward.

Woodwork Instructor.

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LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL
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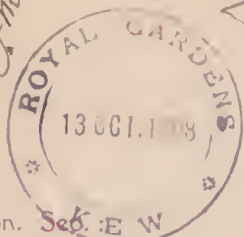


15th February, 1900.

The Principal of the Paddington Technical Institute
desires to express his sincere thanks for the presentation
of a box of miscellaneous wood specimens duly received
at the Institute.



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Hon. Sec. E. W.

FRED. W. ABEL.

45, Dover Street.

(610)

Norwich Certificated

Class Teachers' Association.

(Affiliated to the N.F.A.T.).

October 10th 1908

Dear Sir,

I take this liberty of writing you to ascertain whether you could furnish me with a collection of foreign hard woods used either commercially or for ornamental purposes. I thought in all probability you might have duplicate specimens which you could conveniently spare.

I am a Trained Certificated Teacher and have been engaged in teaching Woodwork for the past 10 yrs. and at the present time am responsible for 1100 boys in a large Woodwork centre at Nelson St School. It is my object to obtain as many specimens of foreign woods — especially rare hard wood — as possible in order to increase the educational value of my work. Therefore, I shall esteem it a great favour if you could accede to my very earnest request.

May I respectfully suggest that pieces approximating to 12" long & 9" wide would be most acceptable & the carriage of which I would willingly defray.

Thanking you in anticipation of your kind

Yours faithfully
 F. W. Abel

reply. I have the honour to be,

Yours Respectfully,

F.W. Abel.

P.S. Should my request be granted, may I ask you
to direct specimens to

Mr. F.W. Abel.

Nelson St. School.

Norwich.

Exhibition was concerned.

I was therefore very pleased to learn that I could have some specimens for New, and I have no doubt that they will compensate me for my disappointment at Earl's Court.

If you have anything in the nature of duplicate come the which would be of value educationally they would be gladly accepted

Thanking you in anticipation

I am,

Yours faithfully,

J.W. Abel.

..... Norwich
Certificated Class Teachers' Association.

Hon. Sec.
FRED. W. ABEL.

45, Dover Street,
Norwich.

October 20th 1908

Dear Sir I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, and to thank you for your kindness in consenting to forward me with specimens.

I presume you are the gentleman I saw at the Kensington Exhibition on the 6th, when I purchased specially from Norwich to personally select those specimens I required. You know the result of that journey, & to add to my disappointment I received a card two days after stating that they could not pack up & send what few things I selected. so the result of my visit was nil, as far as that

reply. I have the honour to be,

Yours Respectfully,

J W Abel.

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Association.

Norwich,

Dec. 5 1908

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W. B. Alden.

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Cones sent already & not wanted

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5. " *Muricata*
6. " *Strobus*
7. " *Culteri*
8. " *Prinaiica*
9. " *Larici* var *Kalladana*
10. " *Thunbergii*
11. " *Montana* var *pumila*
12. " *Purpurea*
13. " *Pinca*
14. " *Montana*
15. " *densiflora*
16. " *Cultrata*
17. " *Sylvestris* var *argentea*
18. " *Banksiana*
19. " *Inops*
20. " *Sylvestris*
21. " *Ponderosa*
22. " *Excelsa*
23. " *Pinaster*
24. " *Jeffreyi*

Save any cones

Conifers not already sent.

W. J. B.

16/10/1908

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 Tell my tree the winter
 with kind regards

1. 21. Nov 11 P.M.
 Norwich
 Certificated Class Teachers' Association.

Hon. Sec.
 FRED. W. ABEL

45, Dover Street.

Norwich,

Dec 5th 1908

Dear Sir

I give you great
 pleasure to say that I received
 the case of wood specimens
 safely on Monday last, and in
 good condition.

Kindly permit me to thank
 you very much for your kindness
 in sending me such a good
 collection of specimens which will
 prove of service to me.

Again thanking you for your
 kindness. I am,

Yours Obediently
 The Director
 Royal Gardens, Kew.

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Sell any trees this winter
with kind regards

Yours sincerely

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Botany school
Cambridge

Address

Burdon

Box 1111, 1111

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J. F. F.

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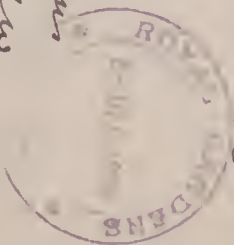
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CAMBRIDGE.

7 Dec '08

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The Director,
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I hope you can find
a use for the ticket.

My collection of timber
is growing apace & I expect
to have quite a respectable
stockpile by the time the
new buildings are up.

Please remember us, if you

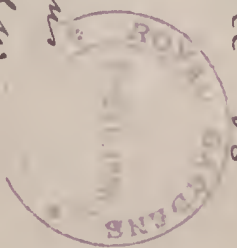
BOTANY SCHOOL,
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7 Dec '08

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The Director,
Royal Gardens,
Kew.



Dear Sir,

The box containing

a miscellaneous collection

of wood specimens, duplicate

of which you advised in

14th Dec, has arrived safely.

Many accept my

sincere thanks for the

very satisfactory

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your duplicate

wood box

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addition to the collection

I am making for the

Forestry Department -

Yours faithfully

E R Newton

Curator of the Museum.

426 Rockdale Rd

M. J. G. 10/1/08

BOTANY SCHOOL,
CAMBRIDGE.

7 Dec 1908.

Dear Sir,

I am very grateful
to you for the trouble
you have taken in setting
aside some of your duplicate
specimens of wood for
the collection I am making
for the Forestry Dept.

There are several
specimens amongst them

you have sent which are
most welcome and all
will be useful.

With many thanks

Yours faithfully

E R Burton.

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For. of the Museum.

21st Dec. 1869
 Feb 11th 1870

426 Northdale Rd

Dayton

W. W. W. W.

Dec 14th 08.

Dear Sir

(611a) Having heard from
 my teacher at the advanced
 evening classes that you have
 sent him free specimens of
 wood I would deem it a
 great favour if you forward
 me some specimens also, as I
 am collecting all the species of
 wood I can find

I remain
 Yours respectfully
 John E. W. W.

Thanking you in anticipation

I remain
 Yours respectfully
 John E. W. W.

Cambridgeshire Education Committee.

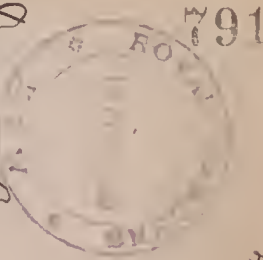
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EDUCATION SECRETARY:

Justin Keen, M.A.,

COUNTY OFFICES,

Dear Sir



436 Rochdale Rd

Royton.

Feb 15th 09.

Mother and myself
 thank you very much for
 indeed for your kindness in
 sending us such splendid
 specimens. They are all very
 beautiful. Mother says
 her class will be delighted
 when she gives them a lesson
 on wood. The box arrived today.
 I intend making a nice case
 to put the specimens in.
 Again thanking you
 yours respectfully
 John C. Mansfield.

Cambridgeshire Education Committee.

Reference No. 59/1110

EDUCATION SECRETARY:

Austin Keen, M.A.,

To whom all Communications should
be addressed, each subject being
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Interviews preferably by appointment.

Telephone—No. 240.

COUNTY OFFICES,

SIDNEY STREET,

CAMBRIDGE.

January 8th 1909

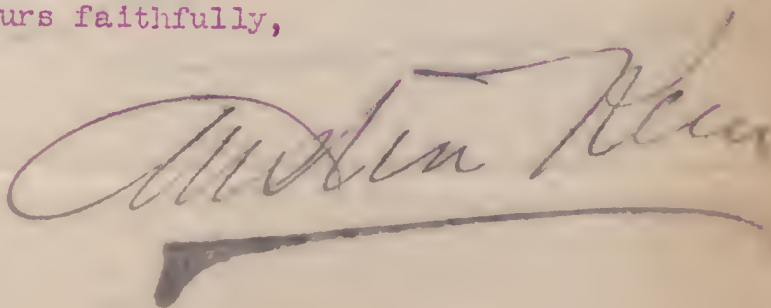
Dear Sir,

One of our leading instructors in Manual Training, Mr Walter Thorp, of Swavesey, informs me that he was lately visiting the Royal Gardens, and ascertained that you supply specimens of wood to schools and classes. Would you be so good as to send me particulars of the same, as Mr Thorp himself is anxious to do the most up-to-date work he can and wishes to have a complete set of specimens of all timbers used for various commercial purposes.

Awaiting your favour,

I remain,

Yours faithfully,



M.J. Hillier Esq.,

Keeper of the Museums,

Royal Gardens,

KEW.

E.B.

January 24th 1860

My dear Sir,
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 19th inst. in relation to the matter of the
and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.
I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
J. M. Smith

Very truly,
J. M. Smith
Secretary of the Board of Education

Enclosed find the same as requested.

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Cambridgeshire Education Committee.

Reference No. 59/610

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dealt with in a separate letter.
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Telephone—No. 240.



COUNTY OFFICES,

SIDNEY STREET,

CAMBRIDGE.

January 20th 1909

My Dear Sir,

I am exceedingly obliged by your letter of the 16th
inst, and in due course I shall be pleased to hear from you in
reference to specimens of timber for distribution..

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Austin Keen". The signature is written in a cursive style and is underlined with a single horizontal stroke.

J. Masters Hillier Esq.,

Keeper of Museum,

Royal Gardens,

KEW.

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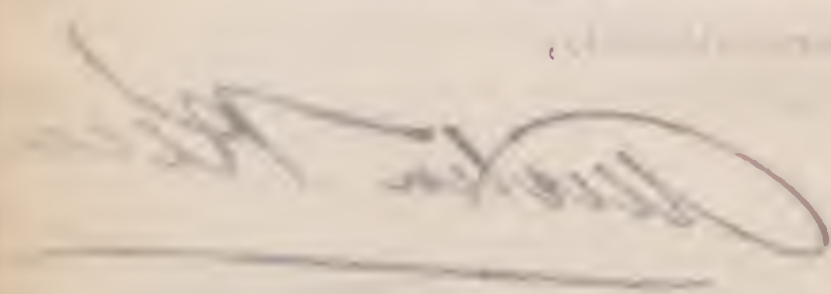
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I am pleased to inform you that the
first of the new series of books has been
published and is now in the hands of the
public.

Yours faithfully,



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Cambridgeshire Education Committee.

Reference No. *6061*

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Austin Keen, M.A.,

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dealt with in a separate letter.

Interviews preferably by appointment.

Telephone—No. 240.

COUNTY OFFICES,

SIDNEY STREET,

CAMBRIDGE.



18th February, 1909.

Dear Sir,

I beg to thank you for your communication of the
12th instant. The box containing specimens of various woods
has been duly received.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Austin Keen". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping initial "A".

The Director,

Royal Botanic Gardens,

KEW.

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If the Letter is in reply to a communication from the Education Offices, please state here the reference heading and number of communication.

London County Council.

The correspondence of all departments of the School should be enclosed in one envelope addressed to the Clerk of the Council, Education Offices, Victoria Embankment, W.C. Special envelopes are supplied for this purpose.

It is particularly requested that, as far as possible, each letter may be confined to one subject.

Gloucester Rd.

London County Council School Dept.

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Peckham R. 2

L.C.C. Electoral Area.

21 January 1907

Specimens for Geography

[SUBJECT].

During the past few years I have endeavoured to teach Geography largely through the eye. I collect, or borrow, specimens of animal, mineral, or vegetable products - natural and manufactured and exhibit these to the boys during lessons.

Besides the above - for the two weeks nearest to Empire Day - May 24th in each year I turn the school into a Museum of Products of the British Empire.

Inspectors - Managers, Teachers from various parts and the parents of the children visit and examine. The five hundred (500) boys, and the older girls receive lessons on the exhibit.

The four rooms exhibit productions of England, Scotland, Ireland, and Wales.

Forward some illustrations of the course of the year work to the nine departments 23.1.07

4. Canada. 5. Australia. 6. India
7. New Zealand. 8. West Indies.
9. Tasmania and the Minor Colonies
10. South Africa.

It is early to write concerning an exhibition to be held in May - but it is so difficult to arrange that I start early. Can you, Sir, assist me by lending specimens of wood or anything from any of the above Possessions, and would there be any cost? I ask the latter, as I have to defray cost out of my own pocket.

Trusting you may be able to help

I am, Sir,

Yours obedient servant

J. Lawrence

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London County Council.

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Gloucester Road

School *B* Dept.

Beckham St.

L.C.C. Electoral Area.

15 Feb. 1909

Specimens

[SUBJECT].

Sir,

A parcel of Specimens was received today. I have to thank you most sincerely for them. They will be most useful. It is very kind of you to send them.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant

C. J. Chase

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25 Thrice. dup.
 sent Nov. 11. 1907
 J. H. H.

(614)

Dear Sir

The Watford Urban
 School Managers will shortly
 be opening a new school and
 I am appointed head master
 of the 'Girls' Dept.

I should feel grateful
 if you would send any specimens
 of useful or curious seeds,
 fishes, woods &c

Yours truly
 M. G. Evans

The Curator

The Headmaster of the Duke's
Preparatory Boys' School, Greentop,
Alnwick, writes to thank the
Director of the Royal Botanic
Gardens, Kew, for the 20 miscellaneous ^{we} ^{from}
Museum Specimens which he so kindly
sent and which are much appreciated. ^{Specimens}

19. Feb. 1907.

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POST CARD.

This Space may be used for printed or written
matter for inland use only.

Only the Address to be written here.



The Director.

Royal Botanic Gardens.

Kew
(Surrounding)

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RICHARD PARRY,
E. H. BLAKE,
A. E. PARRY.

TELEPHONE 308 WESTMINSTER
~~310 CERRARD~~

82, Victoria Street, Westminster.

Book issued
from 10 per hour
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Nov 12th 1909

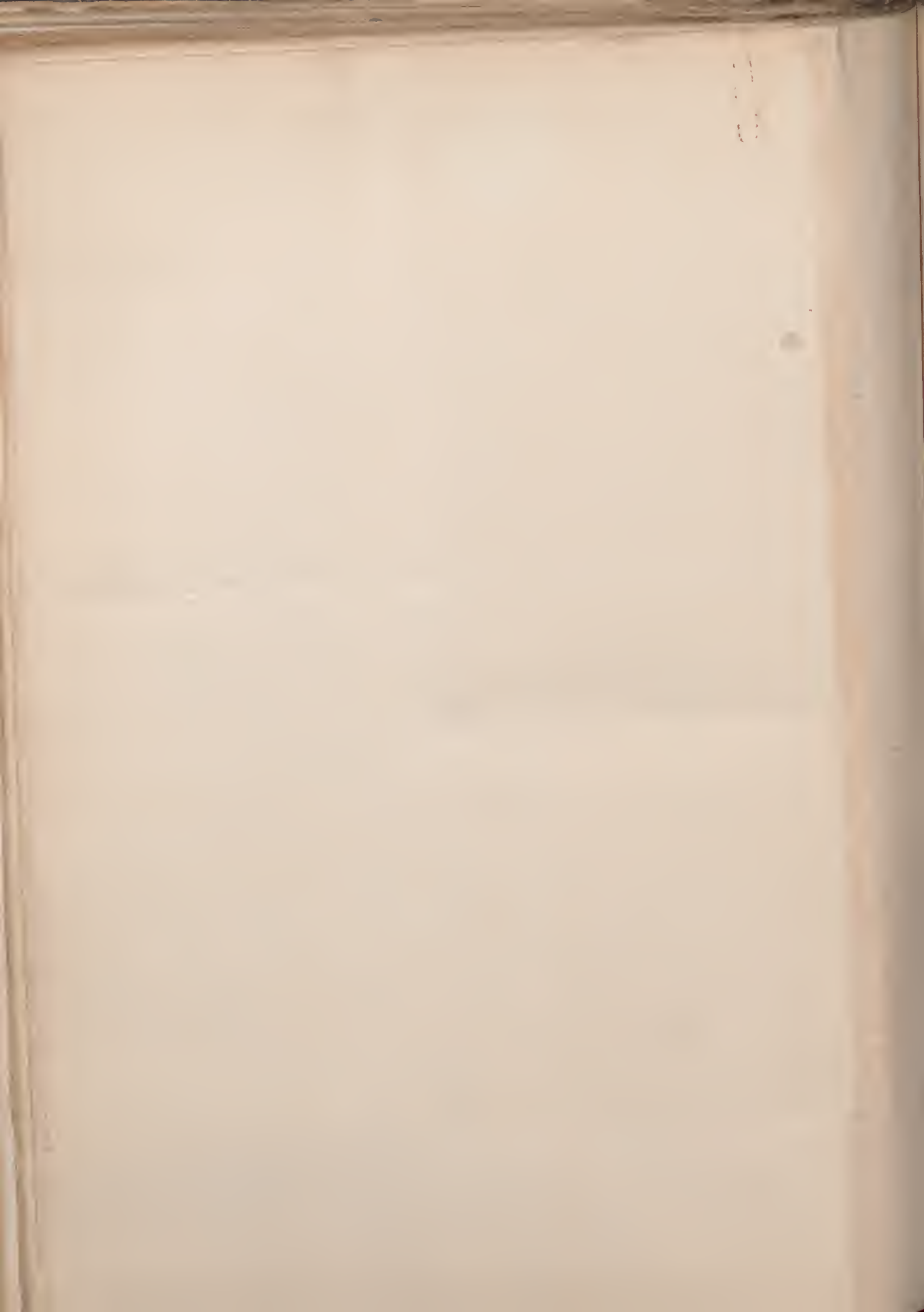
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Dear Sir, many thanks for valuable sum.

The parcel of money
received this morning
from my truly
M. S. Lunt.

Sincerely
Yours
M. S. Lunt

M. S. Lunt



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PARRY, BLAKE & PARRY.

RICHARD PARRY.
E. H. BLAKE.
A. E. PARRY.

30 GERMAN ST.
TELEPHONE 600 WESTMINSTER

82, Victoria Street, W.
Westminster, S.W.

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March 30th 1909.

Dear Sir, (616)

We have the pleasure of
educating a large number of
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of the Surveyors Institution.

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Headmaster

Reg. Naval College

St. John's

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46 Spalding Road, E.C. 2, 1909

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There may be a probability
of obtaining some from you
we beg to say that we should
greatly esteem the favor
if you could kindly arrange
to let us have some.
We are of course willing to
pay any reasonable sum.

Yours faithfully
Harry Blake Parry

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PARRY, BLAKE & PARRY.

RICHARD PARRY.
E. M. BLAKE.
A. E. PARRY.

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TELEPHONE 608 WESTMINSTER

82. Victoria Street, W.
Westminster, S.W.

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March 30th 1909.

Dear Sir, (616)

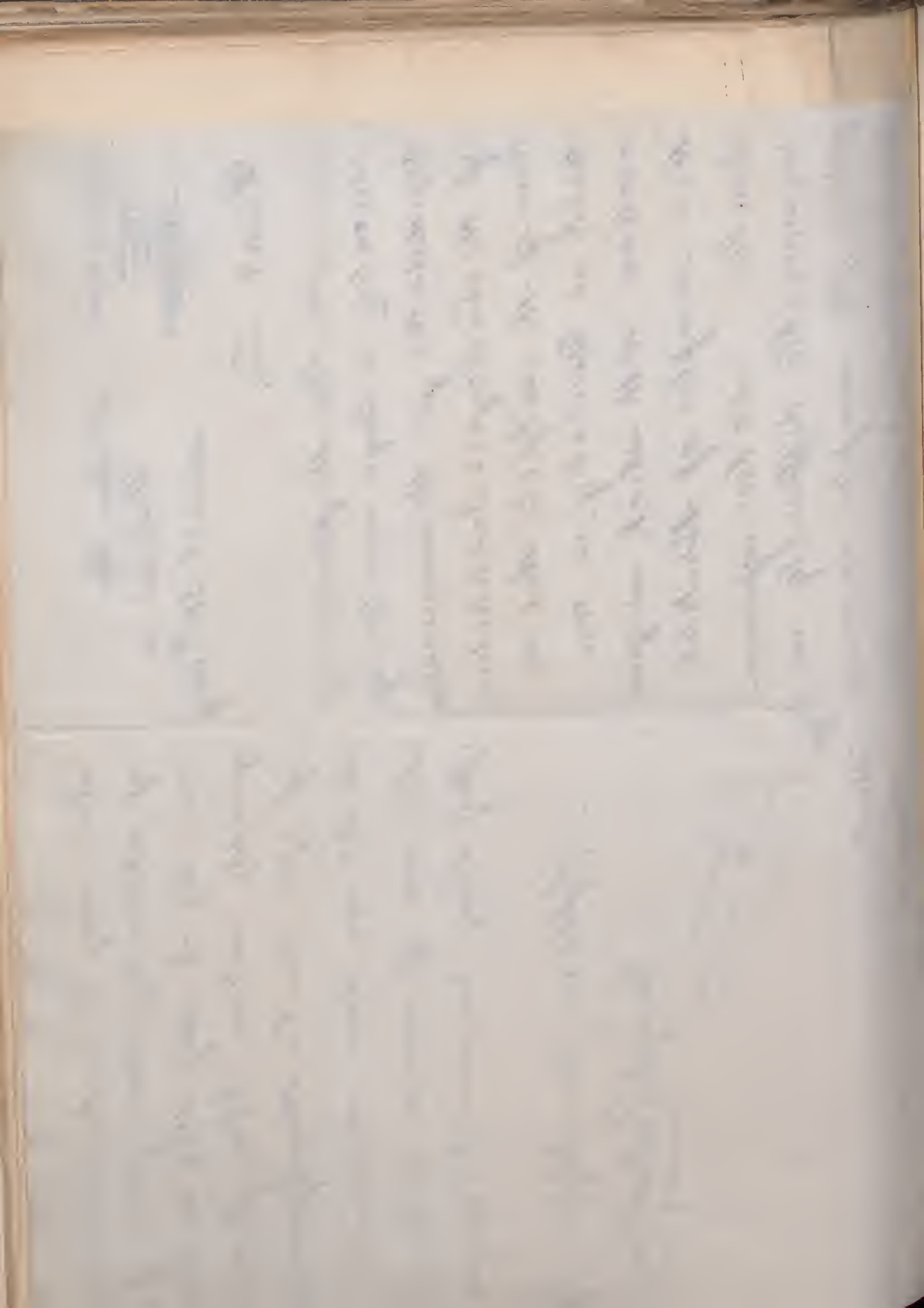
We have the pleasure of
educating a large number of
candidates for the examinations
of the University Institution
one of the subjects that we
teach is drawing, in con-
nection with which we give
them samples of British
timber. We have experienced
considerable difficulty in
getting the samples we would
desire, and as we hear that

there may be a probability
of obtaining some from you,
we beg to say that we should
greatly esteem it a favor
if you could kindly arrange
to let us have some.
We are of course willing to
pay any reasonable sum.

Yours faithfully
Harry Blake Parry

20 specimens
of wood
3.11.10

The Curator
Royal Botanic Gardens
Kew



82, Victoria Street,
Westminster, S.W.

TELEPHONE - GERRARD 5680.

April 1st 1910

Dear Sir,

We have received the box of specimens, which we are sure will be most useful to our pupils, and we beg to tender you our sincere thanks for the same.

Yours faithfully
Perry, Blake & Perry

The Curator
Royal Botanic Gardens
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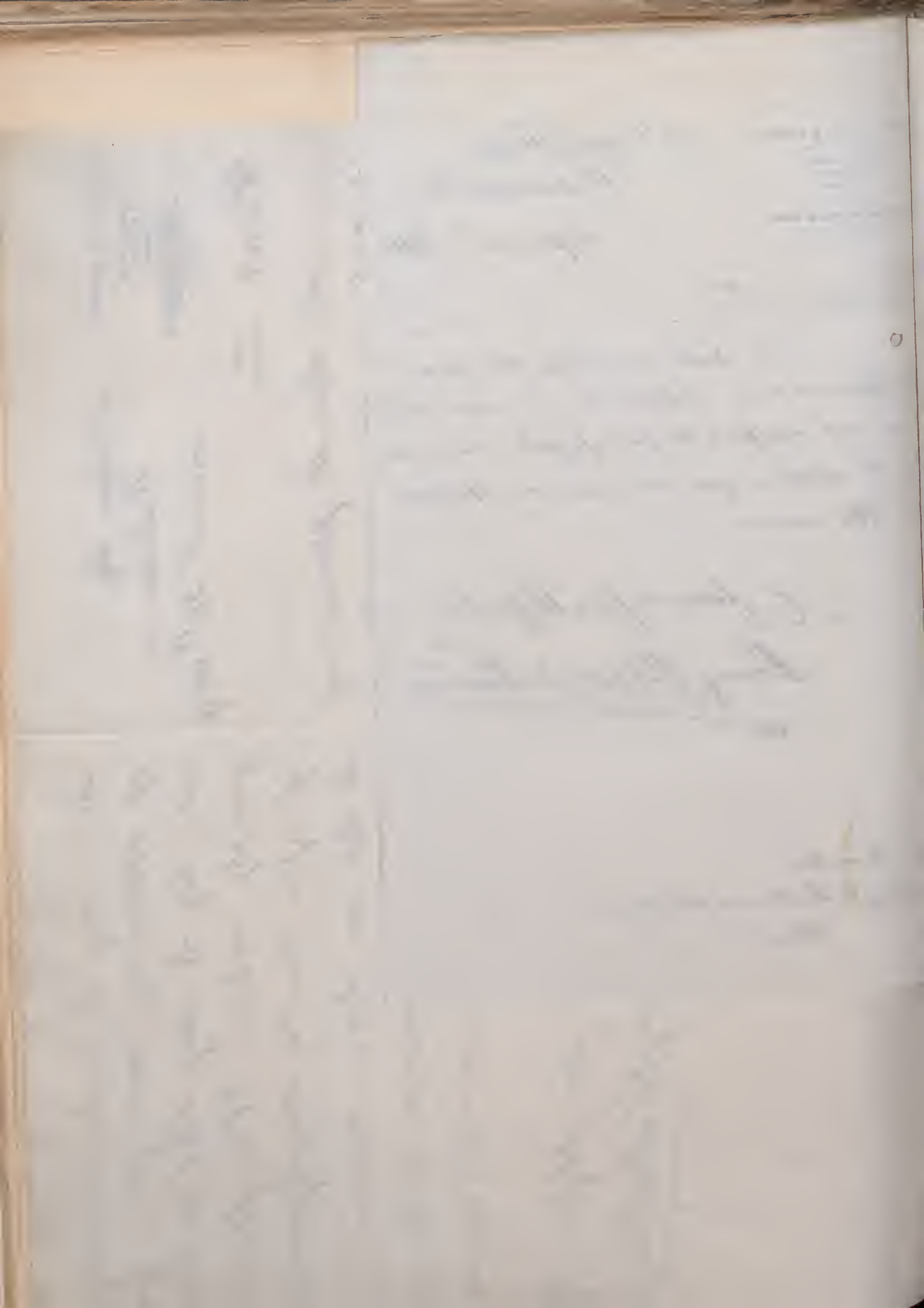
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should be very glad to
receive at your convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Harold Lange

Watson Bay.

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8 Mount Vernon,
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March 28th 09.

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 to the Museum
 Ref. to L. B.
 Dec. 11, 1908.
 Hist.
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 Dear Sir

Dear Sir

A short time ago

I was at Steens Gardens &
when in No. 3 *Maestum*, the
Official in Charge there, inform-
ed me that it was sometimes
possible for one to obtain
specimens of timbers when these
were any piece is spare by
applying to you. He also
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that such was especially

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the case at the present time as there was in course of preparation at the gardens a new museum which was to be devoted to specimens of British timbers.

As I am studying forestry & take a great interest therein I should feel extremely obliged if you would kindly let me know if there is any likelihood at present or in the near future of my being able to obtain any such specimens of British timbers from you, & if so what kinds.

I have specimens of a

certain number of the more generally used timbers such as Oak, Ash, Elm &c., but find it rather difficult to obtain from timber merchants, specimens of those less frequently used, especially transverse sections.

I should also feel very much obliged if you could inform me how to preserve the leaves & flowers of trees, on the twigs, by other means than pressing, as by this method, some of the characteristic features are

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Liverpool

Single &
Double

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April, 11th 09.

Dear Sir

I am much obliged
for your letter of yesterday's
date in answer to mine of
the 28th ult.

Yours faithfully,
H. Lange.

Admissional Standard Centre.
Holding dues
specimens sent. 1.9.6.09
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Acknowled Handicraft Centre.
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specimens sent. 24.6.09
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(618) 20 specimens
sent 31.11.10
Victoria Road
Blaston.

S.E.

Dear Sir

Being a teacher
in the Handicraft Centre
I shall

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The Gardens,
Glasgow

Kindly return
above School
of the leaves,
various stems,
I wish
specimen with a

acknowledged Handicraft Centre.
Glasgow Rd. Sch.
specimens sent. 29.6.09

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sent sent 31.iii.10
Victoria Road
Easton.
S.E.

Dear Sir

Being a teacher
in the Handicraft Centre
of the above school, I shall
be pleased if you could
send me some specimens
of various timbers, and
leaves etc. of the different
trees.

Yours respectfully
J. A. Maddock.



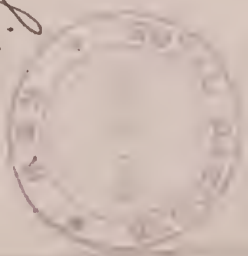
88 Liverpool Education Committee

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Single Lane Special Schools
Liverpool Aug. 12. 1911.

The Gardens,
The Director,
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Dear Sir,



Can you

kindly favour me on behalf of the
above School, with a few samples
of the leaves, fruit, twigs etc. of
various Timber Trees, (English & Foreign)
I wish to form a small school
Garden with same, & understand when
visiting the Gardens on Aug 4th last, that
you would be willing to oblige in this

way, if the carriage of goods are
paid. Thanking you in
anticipation,

J. Renair,

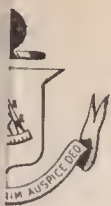
Yours sincerely,
H. E. Phillips.

(Inspector of Woodwork)

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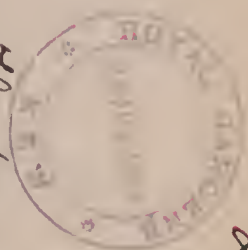
Public Libraries, Museum, & Art Gallery,

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Sunderland, 23 Sept 1909

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Single Lane Special School,
Sunderland.

Aug 25th 09.

The Royal Gardens, St. Peter's,

The Director,

Dear Sir,
I

wish to acknowledge safe receipt
to-day of the miscellaneous specimens
of British & Foreign ground lizards
you kindly forwarded, & to thank
you heartily for same as they will
be of great utility & interest to

the Boys & myself in our
Timber talks, etc. Thinking
you also for the prompt attention
you gave to my request,

I Remain,

Yours Sincerely,

H. E. Phillips.

(Instructor of Woodwork)

Noted 26-8-09
W.D.



J.A. CHARLTON DEAS, F.R.HIST.S.,
LIBRARIAN & DIRECTOR

TELEPHONES:-
CENTRAL DEPARTMENTS 1009
HENDON BRANCH 1295
NEWCASTLE BRANCH
WEST BRANCH 824

Public Libraries, Museum, & Art Gallery,

Sunderland, 2nd. Sept. 1909

The Director,
Royal Botanic Gardens,
Kew.

Dear Sir,

We are engaged in re-organising our Botanical Department, and find we are very weak in Gymnosperms. We should accordingly feel highly indebted to you if you could see your way to present us with a few objects typical of this class and suitable for public exhibition. The following genera in particular would be much appreciated by my Committee:-

cones of Pinus (Pinaster and Strobus); Picea, Abies, Araucaria;

any specimens of Ginkgo, leaves and fruit, cones and sporophylls of Cycads;

any specimens of the Gnetales, especially of Welwitschia.

We would, of course, gladly pay carriage on any objects you might kindly forward.

Yours faithfully,

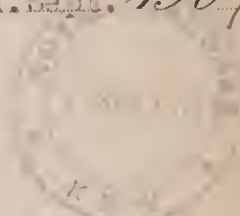
J.A. Charlton Deas

Librarian and Director.

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Recd
4.10.09
W.D.

Recd specimens
in list herewith
10.9.09
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18th March 1881



Public Libraries, Museum, & Art Gallery,

Sunderland, 17th. Sept. 1909

J.A. CHARLTON DEAS, F.R. HIST. S.

LIBRARIAN & DIRECTOR.

TELEPHONES:-

CENTRAL DEPARTMENTS ... 1009.

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The Director,
Royal Botanic Gardens,
Kew.

Dear Sir,

We have safely received the box of specimens of cones and foliage illustrating the Coniferae, and are extremely obliged to you for your kindness in forwarding such a carefully selected, interesting, and well-labelled series of objects.

These will prove of great value for exhibition purposes, and we shall have much pleasure in laying them before the Committee at the next meeting.

Yours faithfully,

J.A. Charlton Deas

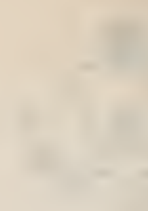
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18.10.09

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School Board for London,

Victoria Embankment, W. C.

December 19, 1899.

Dear Sir,

The Board, in May, 1898, had their attention called to the manner in which flowers gathered in the Town Gardens of Berlin were placed in the Upper Grade and Lower Grade Municipal Schools for the purpose of furthering the study of Botany.

The Board were of opinion that such a scheme would be the means of increasing the educational value of the instruction in their schools.

As Chairman of the School Management Committee, I accordingly had an interview with Colonel Wheatley, of Her Majesty's Office of Works, and as a consequence a fortnightly supply of flowers, leaves, cuttings, &c., are now being forwarded from the Royal Parks to selected schools for the purpose of teaching Botany and Drawing, and for Object Lessons.

The resources of the Royal Parks would be greatly strengthened if materials from the Royal Gardens at Kew

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which would otherwise be thrown away such as the dead stems of endogens, fir-cones, bulbs, and discarded specimens from the museums, were available for the use of the Board.

In these circumstances I desire to bring the foregoing facts before you in the hope that you would be good enough to assist the Board in a scheme which shows every sign of becoming a great success, bringing as it does the children into direct contact with nature instead of with drawings and other representations from nature.

In the event of the Board being so fortunate as to secure your co-operation in the scheme, it is suggested that we should be allowed to place a box or boxes in Kew Gardens into which all such specimens, &c., as might be available for the use of schools could be placed, the box or boxes being periodically cleared by our representative.

It should be added that the Board's gardener and his assistant staff, who are also servants of H.M. Office of Works, have their head-quarters at the Store-yard, Hyde Park.

I am, etc.,

(Signed) Graham Wallis.

Chairman of the School Management Committee.

Sir W. J. Threlton Ayer, K.C.M.G., C.I.E.,
Director,
Royal Gardens, Kew.

R. S. K.

Dec. 21. 99

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge your letter December 19 relative to the supply for the use of selected schools of material, especially taken away in the Royal Botanic Gardens and of discarded specimens from its museums.

I find that the Board's gardener, who I understand was trained at Kew, has already been in communication with my staff on the subject and the arrangement suggested is considered on both sides as practicable. I have therefore given directions ^{for it to be} ~~carried~~ ^{carried} out forthwith. It is understood that your Board will undertake to remove the material which accumulated.

I am regard to museum specimens
 Graham Waller by
 School Board for London
 Victoria Embankment
 W.C.

I have to find out that for
some years a system has
existed of distributing to such
elementary schools as apply
for them throughout the county
discontinued objects and duplicates
from the Museum & the Royal
Botanic Gardens. Efforts have
been made, as material is
available (from time to time)
in the order of application. The
Headmaster of such schools under
your Board as desire to share in
the distribution should therefore
make individual application to be
placed on the list. It must be
understood, however, that the amount
of material available for distribution
is limited and that some time may
elapse before ^{each} ~~any individual~~ application
is ~~admitted~~ considered.

4. I should like in conclusion to
draw your attention to the (Kew
Botanic Garden) which has been
recently reorganised under a Board
of Trustees for Educational Purposes
I am, etc. W. P. F. D.

SCHOOL BOARD FOR LONDON.



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R. G. K.
January 5, 1900.

Sir,

In continuation of my letter
of Dec. 21, I have the honour to
inform you that the ~~School-Boards'~~
^{of the Board} representative called at the Royal
Gardens on Jan 4., but stated that
he had no instructions with regard
to the proposals made in the Boards'
letter of Dec. 19.

I am, etc.

Graham Waller Esq:

School Board for London,

Victoria Embankment,
W.C.

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SCHOOL BOARD FOR LONDON.



Victoria Embankment, W.C.,

15th January 1899 1900.

Supply of Flowers, Leaves, etc., from the Royal Parks.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge, with thanks, the receipt of your two letters dated respectively the 21st December and the 5th January. The former letter will be laid before the first meeting of the Special Subjects Sub-Committee after the Christmas Recess.

The arrangements which you have been good enough to sanction in the second paragraph of your letter will be of great educational value to the work of the Board.

With reference to the third paragraph of your letter dealing with the system of the distribution of discarded specimens and duplicates from the museums of the Royal Botanic Gardens, the School Management Committee will be glad to submit to you as soon as possible a list of Head Teachers of such selected schools as, in the opinion of the Committee, would derive the greatest advantage from the facilities you have kindly offered to afford.

I would, however, add that it would be a great convenience in the administration of the Board's Botany Scheme if you could see your way to allow whatever discarded specimens, etc., might fall to the share of the schools of the Board to be supplied en bloc to the Board direct for distribution as part of the Botany scheme. If this latter

Sir W. T. Thiselton Dyer, C.M.G., C.I.E.,
Director,
Royal Gardens,
Kew.

course

course could be adopted, the Board, through its chief gardener, would be not only able to keep a list of the specimens and the schools to which they were supplied, but would also be able to distinguish between the specimens shown as supplied from the Royal Parks and those supplied from the museums of the Royal Gardens at Kew.

The attention of the Committee is being given to the important question of utilising as far as possible the resources of the Chelsea Botanic Gardens.

I am, dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Frederick Walker

Chairman of the School Management Committee.

With reference to the distribution of duplicate museum specimens it may be well to remember that there are already 165 applications from Schools that have not yet been accepted, though promised. The first applications to be taken dates back to August 1894.

J.R.F. 17/1/1900

Telegraphic Address:
Schools, London.

Telephone Number:
2,535 Gerrard.

SCHOOL BOARD FOR LONDON.



Victoria Embankment, W.C.,

24th March, 1900. -189-

At the head
of your reply
please write
SS.

1722/00.

Dear Sir,

I beg to call your attention to the letter forwarded to you on the 15th January, 1900, a copy of which I herewith enclose and to ask whether you will be kind enough to forward a reply to the same, as no reply appears to have been received at this Office.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Graham Waller
perat

Chairman of the School

Management Committee.

Sir W.T. Thiselton Dyer, C.M.G., C.I.E.
Director of Royal Gardens. Kew.

R. S. K.

March 29. 1900

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge
 the receipt of your letter of
 March 24, 1900 [SS. 1722/00]
 enclosing a copy of the your previous
 letter of Jan. 15 [SS. 188/00]
 on the subject of the supply of
 materials for botanical teaching
 for the use of the schools of your
 Board.

2. Instructions were at once given
 to give effect to the wishes ex-
 pressed in your letter. As the
 system suggested appears now to
 be in working order no further
 reply to your letter appeared
 necessary

Yours, etc

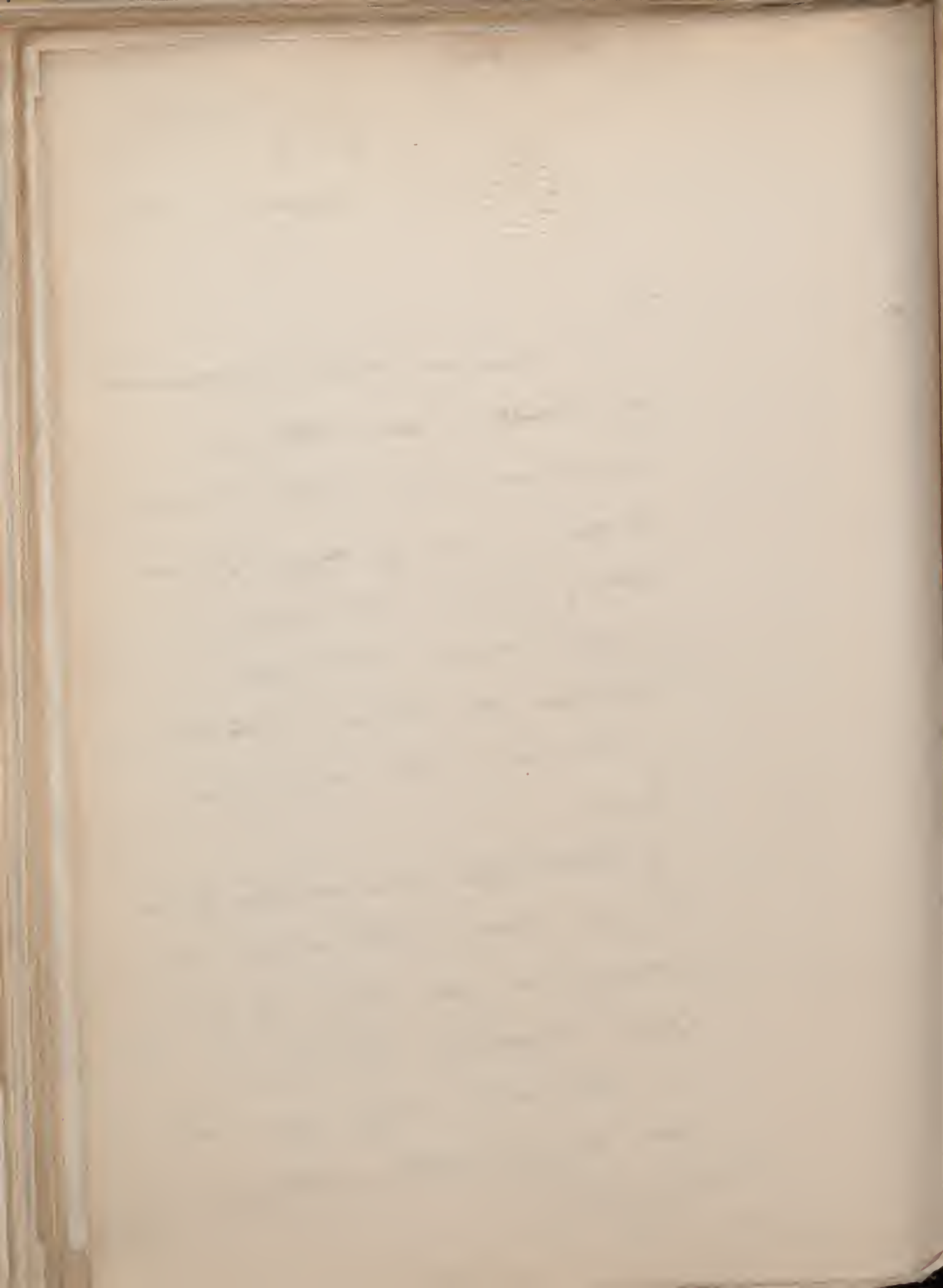
Graham Walker Esq.

Chairman of the School

Management Committee

School Board for London

Victoria Embankment, W.C.



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2,535 Gerrard.

SCHOOL BOARD FOR LONDON.

Victoria Embankment, W.C.,

31st March, 1900. -189-



At the head
of your reply
please write

SS.

1839
/00.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge with many thanks your letter
of the 29th instant.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Graham Wallis
per A.S.

Chairman of the School

Management Committee.

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Sir W. T. Thiselton Dyer.

Director

Royal Gardens.

Kew.

R. P. K.

May 14, 1900

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SCHOOL BOARD FOR LONDON.

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MEMORANDUM.

From

The GARDENER,

School Board for London,

Store Yard, Hyde Park.

To The

To Mr. W. WILLIAMS,

C/o The Superintendent,

Store Yard,

Hyde Park.

P. T. & S. 1000-113103-147-99.

Dear Sir.

I have asked the Hon. to collect one or more tokens from you on Monday next, and thereafter fortnightly. A few labels are enclosed herewith.

I have to thank you for the very useful material received. Yours truly, J. W. Williams

to W. Williams

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May 14, 1900

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SCHOOL BOARD FOR
MEMORANDUM.

The GARDENER,

To The Head Teacher.

School Board for London,

Department.

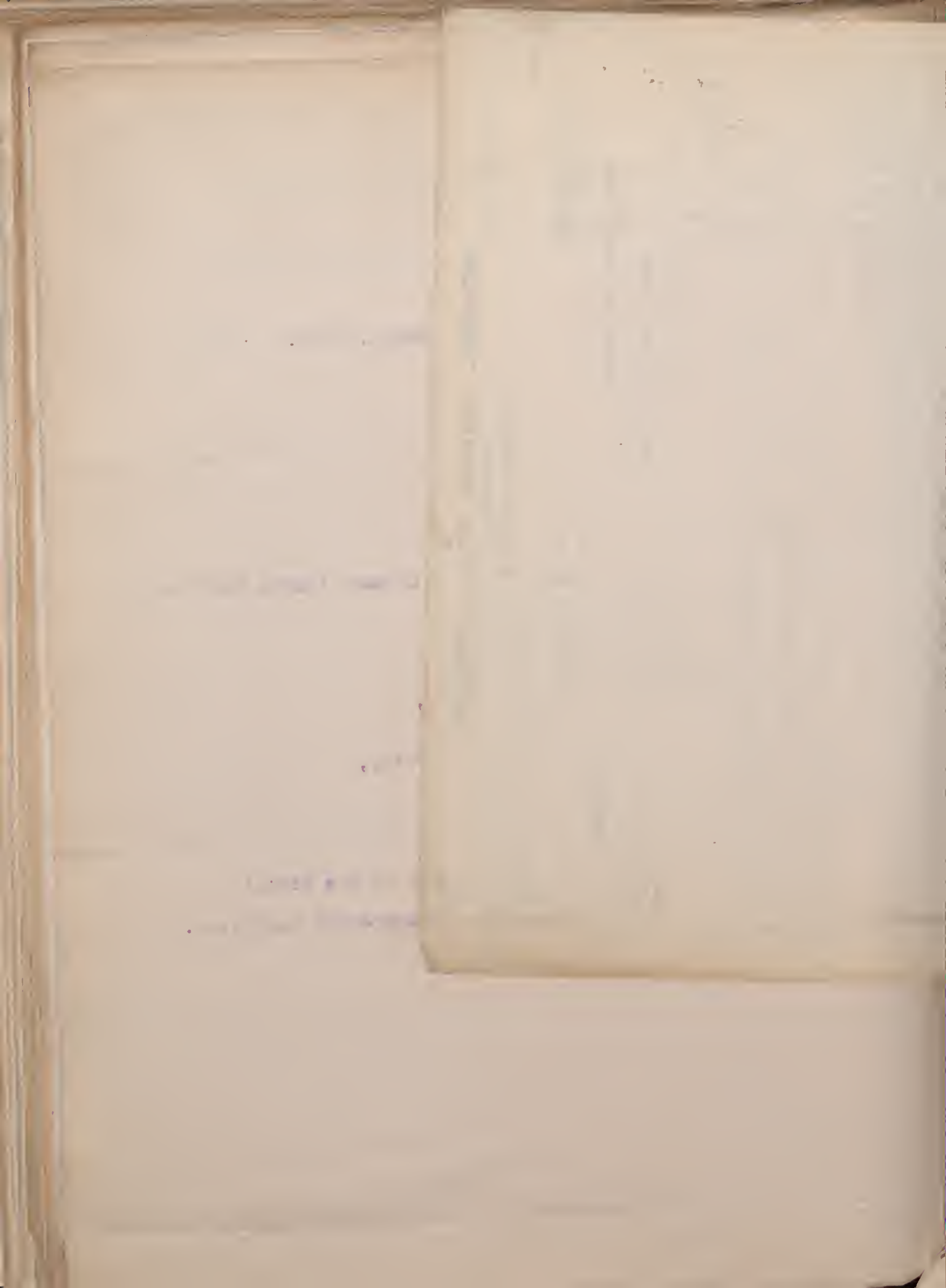
Store Yard, Hyde Park.

School.

Dear Sir.

I have asked the London Parcel & Delivery Co
to collect one or more boxes, as may be available,
from you on Monday next, and thereafter fortnightly.
A few labels are enclosed herewith.

I have to thank you for the very useful
material received. Yours truly,
R. P. K.



R. P. K.

May 14, 1900

Sir,

Referring to my letter, Dec. 21
last I pointed out that ~~for some~~
~~years~~ a system of distribution
of museum duplicates to elementary
schools has for some years ^{part} existed
at New. The applications which
are very numerous ^{have been} ~~are~~ filed and
deserted with the material ~~became~~ became
available, in the order of application.

2. In your letter of January 15th in
reply you expressed a desire that
such applications from the schools
under your Board should not be
deserted with indifference but that
the material selected for them
should be sent to the Board in time.

3. I have now the pleasure to forward
to you to be disposed of as your
Board think proper, the applications
at present on hand which I think it has

Frederick Walker, Esq.

Schools Board for London

Victoria Embankment
W.C.

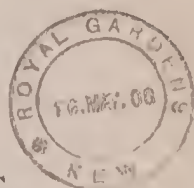
not hesitate been found to deal
in view of the large number
of applications from other
parts of the country

I am, etc.

Telegraphic Address:
Schools, London.

Telephone Number:
2,535 Gerrard.

SCHOOL BOARD FOR LONDON.



Victoria Embankment, W.C.,

15th May 1890

Sir,

I have to thank you for your letter, addressed to the Chairman of the School Management Committee, of the 14th May, enclosing applications for Museum specimens from Instructors and others under this Board.

I have now to ask if you will be good enough to inform the Board whether there are any Museum specimens at present available for distribution and to state that the Board would be glad to undertake the distribution of any specimens placed at their disposal.

I have to add for your information that the Board have in several of their centres, Museum cupboards, in which various kinds of Woods are carefully preserved, and in many schools Museums have been formed for the collection of objects of educational value.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

G. H. Broad

Genl. Secy. School Board

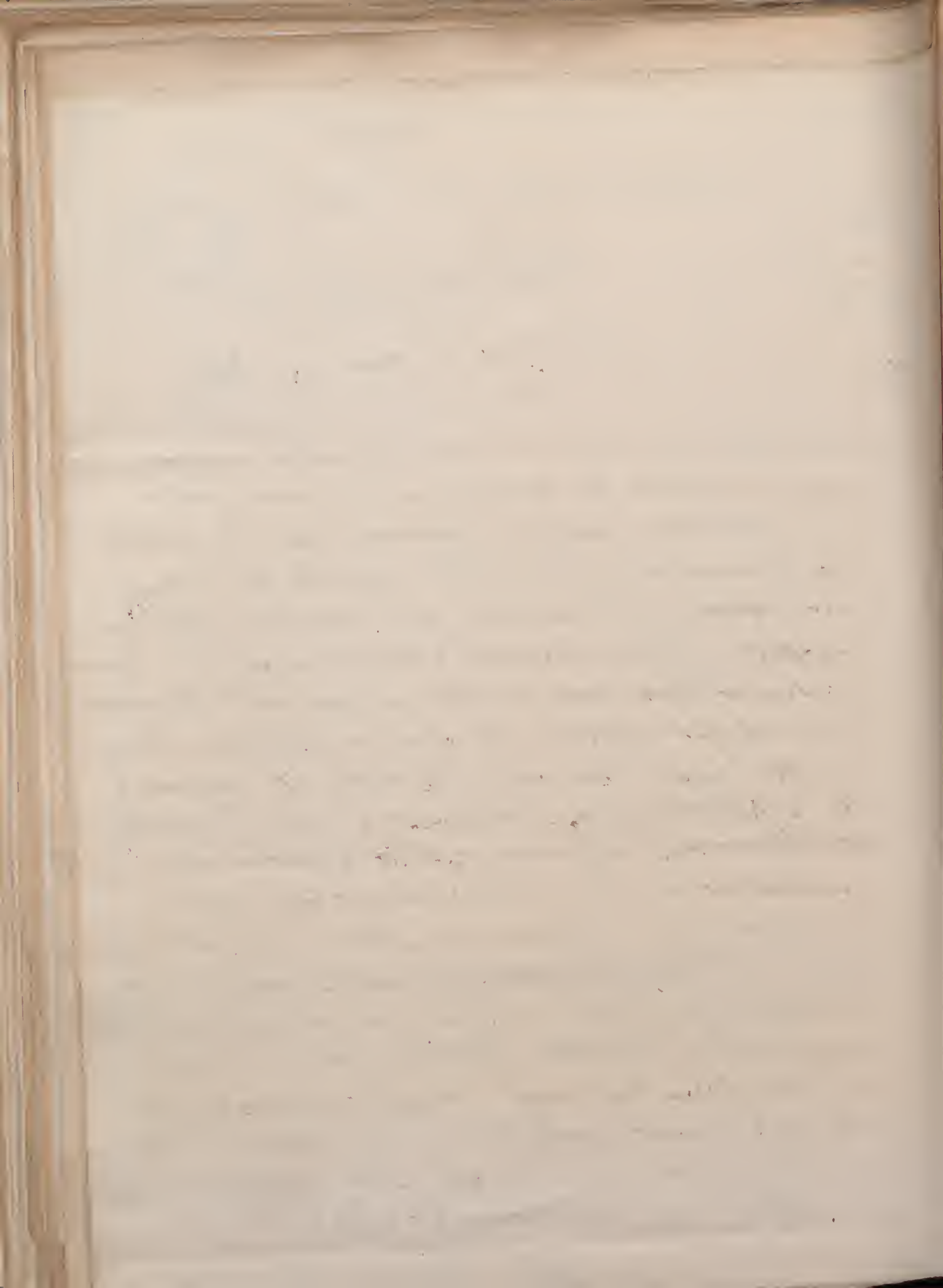
Sir W. C. Threlton Dyet.

Royal Gardens

London.

At the head
of your reply
please write

S. S. 2489
1900



ROYAL GARDENS, KEW.

MEMORANDUM.

Subject

*Museum
May 31st. 1900*

*149 Specimens of wood
54 Miscellaneous Museum duplicates*

*Sent to the London School Board
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SCHOOL BOARD FOR LONDON.



Victoria Embankment, W.C.,

9th June, 1900. 189

Supply of Flowers, Leaves, etc., from the Royal Parks.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to convey to you the thanks of the School Management Committee for the valuable gift of museum specimens from the Royal Gardens at Kew and to assure you that every care will be taken for their distribution to the greatest educational advantage.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

f. H. Croad.
P.O.

Clerk of the Board.

Sir Thiselton Dyer,

Director of the Royal Gardens,

Kew.

At the head
of your reply
please write

S.S. 2470

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R. S. K.

June 9 1900

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 15 [S.S. 2489/1900] asking enquiring if there are any specimens from the Museum & the Royal Gardens available for distribution to the schools under your Board.

2. In reply I have to state that on the 31st last a box was sent containing 149 specimens of wood & 54 miscellaneous duplicates.

3. During a recent visit to Mount Edgcombe I suggested to the Earl of Mount Edgcombe that some ^{fallen} branches of Oak &c in his park would be very acceptable to your Board as Museum specimens.

4. I now enclose a letter received from the Board's Gardener from which I gather that the arrangements which have been made in accordance with the Board's request are working satisfactorily.

I am, Sir,

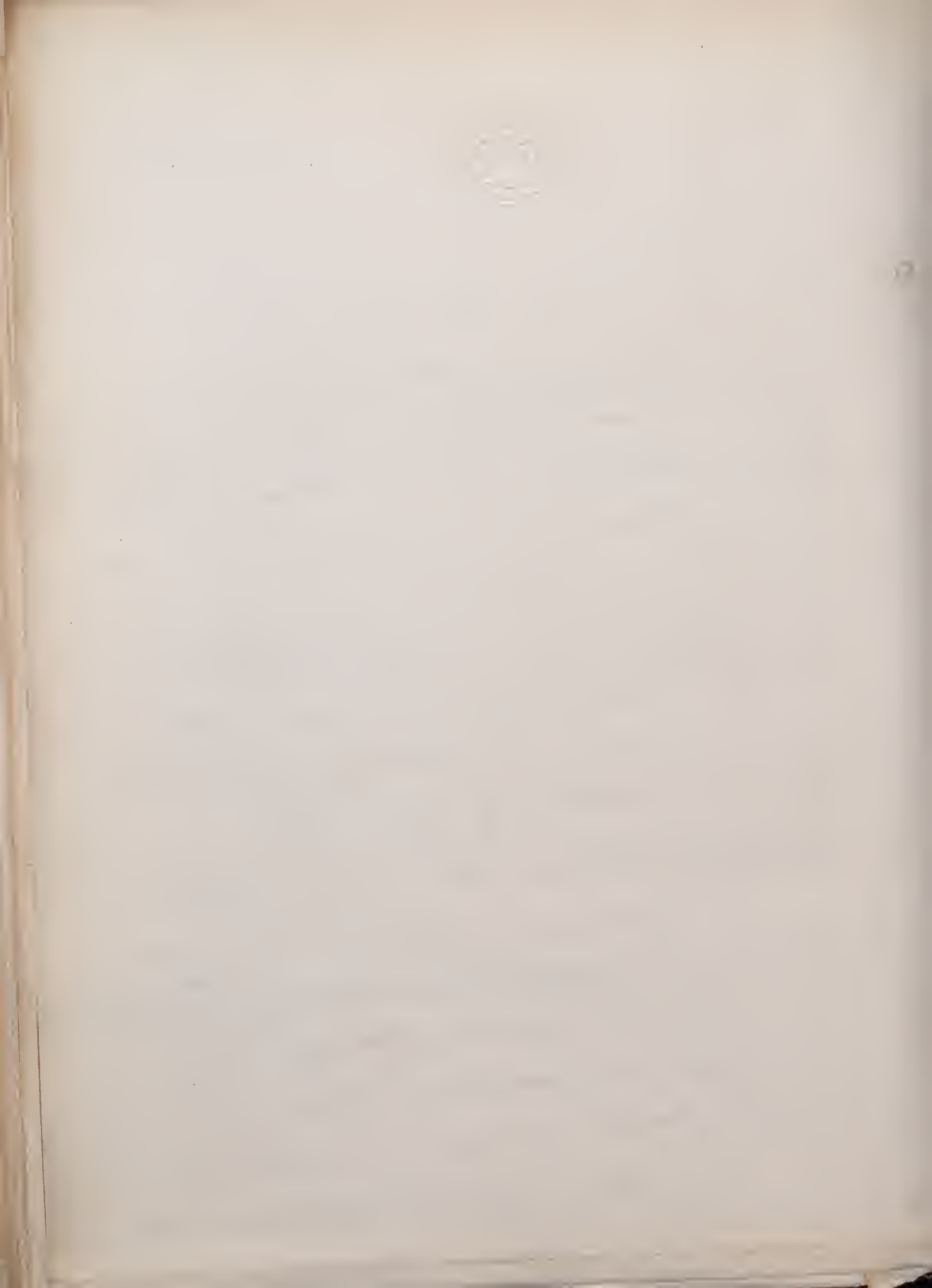
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G. H. Broad Esq.

Science Board for London

Victoria Embankment

W. P.



School Board for London

Botany Scheme

4 Cases containing Stone yard Hyde Park. w
is all about 880 2nd April 1902.

Miscellaneous Museum duplicates J.H.H. 4.4.02

Museum Duplicates

Dear Sir.

In reply to your letter of the 31st ult, asking for the address to which ~~these~~ 4 cases of Museum duplicates allocated to my Board should be sent, I beg to say that I shall be glad if you will be good enough to address them to me at the Stone yard, Hyde Park. I enclose herewith a few of our adhesive labels.

We have a contract for cartage with the London Porcello Delivery Co, and I have instructed the Company to make a call at the Royal Gardens on Friday next, and in the event of the cases not being ready, to call on any subsequent day which the officers of the Museum may appoint.

The previous supply of Museum duplicates have been greatly appreciated, and I shall be very glad of the contents of the three cases in question for distribution among those schools that have not as yet benefited by your kindness.

I am, Dear Sir,

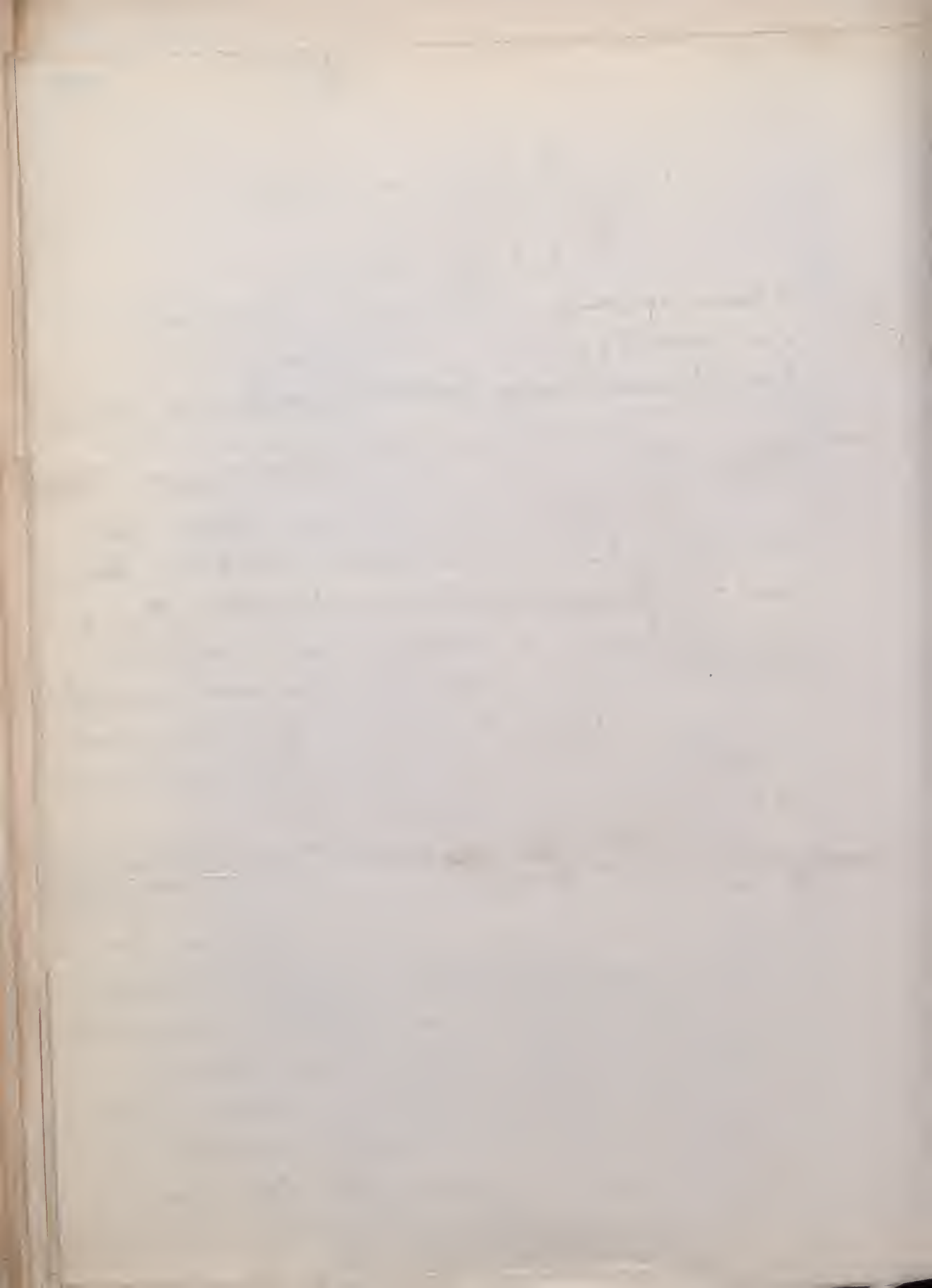
Yours faith fully
W. Williams

Gardener to the Board

J. Masters Hillier Esq

Keeper of the Museum

Royal Gardens. Kew.



Noted 24.4.02.

J.W.H.

SCHOOL BOARD FOR LONDON.

BOTANY SCHEME.

Store-yard, Hyde Park, W.,

April 23. 1902

Dear Sir,

I beg to inform you that the four cases of Museum duplicates have been unpacked to-day.

They have been received in excellent condition and are greatly appreciated.

The empty cases are returned by the L. S. & Co. to-day, and will be delivered at the Royal Gardens tomorrow.

I am Dear Sir

Yours faithfully

W. William.

(G. L.)

Gardener to the Board.

J. Masters Miller Esq.

Keeper of the Museum

Royal Gardens, Ken.

Referred to Head Office
of School Board for

London

J.H.H.

1.5.03

School Board for London.

If the letter is in
reply to a communication
from the Head Office,
please state here the
initials and number of
communication

Upper Secondary, 1st School, P. T. Dept.



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W.

Where you may

specimens of work suitable for
making buttons you can

send me. I am sure I shall

be able to accept the specimens

I am, I am, I am, I am, I am

and so on. I am, I am, I am

and so on. I am, I am, I am

and so on. I am, I am, I am

Give you a thousand best friend.

It branch of West.

Some of the same will

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your faithful

My Beloved.

My dear friend upon and

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The correspondence of all departments of the School should be enclosed in one envelope, addressed to the Education

69. Isledon Road,
Finsbury Park.
N.

13th May. 1903



(L47)
Dear sir,

I am at present engaged as a Manual Instructor in Woodwork in a large Board school, and shall be much obliged if you can kindly supply me with a number of specimens of wood for use in the Manual classes I to pay the cost of carriage.

Thanking you, sir, in anticipation, for your kindness,

I remain,

The Director,
Royal Gardens,
Ken.

Yours faithfully,
John Woods.

referred to School Board for London
if under their control,

otherwise, to furnish names address of his school

may 14th 1903
J.H.H.

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London County Council.

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Gloucester Road

School Dept.

Perkham

W.E.

L.C.C.

Electoral Area.

27th April

1914

Practical Geography

[SUBJECT.]

For several years I have endeavoured to teach a certain amount of Geography by means of an Exhibition of Products of the Empire.

believing that children remember well things they see and handle. For this purpose I gather as many Natural and Artificial (Manufactured) objects as possible, and for two weeks round "Empire Day" hold an Exhibition.

The Class rooms represent 1. Homeland. 2. Scotland & Ireland 3. Canada. 4. Australia. 5. India. 6. West Indies. 7. British Possessions. Africa.

Enclosed are photographs showing former exhibits.

I am attending the lectures and demonstrations by the Assistant Director of the Gardens - A.W. Hill Esq. and having had the privilege of seeing and handling a number of objects, know how valuable it would be to have such (and others) lent to me for the two weeks

London County Council.

Commencing May 18th

Anything from India and our Colonies would be of use

This (Rep's) dept. has 580 scholars. The whole of these, during the above named period receive special lessons and some of the older girls (about 120) also attend.

Further, the parents and friends of the scholars visit on or two evenings and learn much from the Exhibits.

I will take great care of anything you are good enough to lend, and return everything immediately the Exhibition closes.

Nothing you will be kind enough to forward me without collecting however small.

I am, Sir, Yours faithfully,
J. H. D. [Signature]

I am attending the lectures and demonstrations of the Geological Society of London. I am sorry that I cannot be more of service to you in this way. I have been very busy with the preparation of the report of the Committee on the subject of the London County Council's contribution to the Exhibition.



London County Council

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THIS SPACE MAY NOW BE USED FOR INLAND
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THE ADDRESS ONLY TO BE WRITTEN
HERE.

EAST LAMBETH DIVISION,
GLOUCESTER RD. SCHOOL.

Canada

Anything
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Exhibition closes.

Thanking you will be
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EAST LAMBETH DIVISION,
GLOUCESTER RD. SCHOOL.

S. Africa

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EAST LAMBETH DIVISION,
GLOUCESTER RD. SCHOOL.

India

THE ADDRESS ONLY TO BE
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EAST LAMBETH DIVISION,
GLOUCESTER RD. SCHOOL.

West India

THE ADDRESS ONLY TO BE WRITTEN
HERE.

Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew.

May 1, 1914.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of April 27, 1914, and of the interesting photographs showing your collections of 'Products of the Empire'.

With regard to your request for specimens on loan I regret that it is not possible for us to help you as we do not send out our Museum specimens on loan.

Until the absorption of the London School Board an arrangement subsisted under which duplicate Museum specimens were sent to the Head Office to be distributed thence to the schools which might make application for them.

I do not know whether in taking over other functions of the School Board the Education Department of the L. C. C. has taken over the distribution of such duplicate specimens. Possibly an application made by you to the Education Officer would elicit the necessary information and if the reply be in the affirmative might lead to a request from the Education Officer for a further supply of duplicates from the Museums of the Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew, on behalf of the schools of London.

I may add, however, for your present information that our stock of duplicate material is very small at present and in any case it would be impossible to afford you any assistance for your exhibition this year.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

(Signed) L. Prain.

Director.

C. D. Chase, Esq.,

L. C. C. School,

Cloudburton Rd. Peckham.

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Gloucester Rd

School B Dept.

Beckham 24

L.C.C. Electoral Area.

7 March 1911

[SUBJECT.]

For

For some years I have endeavored to interest my boys in "Nature"

This year I desire the various classes to watch certain trees - each class three trees - and for this purpose - at this time - I want twigs of those trees with growing buds. We shall keep the twigs in water and watch the buds develop. I venture to ask your valuable aid & beg of you to send me a few twigs of each of the trees on enclosed list.

I have the honor to be

Your obedient servant
J. H. See

Twigs sent advised
ROYAL GARDENS
9.3.11

Gloucester Rd - School.
 Beckham
 London S.E.

Growing twigs of.

Lime
 Plane
 Oak
 Sycamore
 Hazel
 Horse Chestnut
 Sweet do
 Beech
 Willow
 Birch
 Lombardy Poplar
 Black do.
 Pine
 Spruce
 Larch.
 Ash
 Elm
 Hornbeam
 Maple
 Walnut
 Alder



LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL.

Telegraphic Address.
"Schools, London."
Telephone N° 10,000.
Gerrard

EDUCATION OFFICES,

VICTORIA EMBANKMENT, W.C.

20th March, 1911.

Letters should be addressed
THE EDUCATION OFFICER,
EDUCATION OFFICES,
VICTORIA EMBANKMENT, W.C.
They should show the complete
postal address and designation
of the writer, and should as far as
possible, relate to one subject only

PLEASE QUOTE AT THE HEAD
OF ANY REPLY

R.1.

Dear Sir,

Adverting to your letter of the 16th instant, it would be a great convenience if you would kindly let me have a complete list of the museum specimens which you have been good enough to forward for distribution among schools maintained by the Council.

Yours faithfully,

R. Blair

Education Officer.

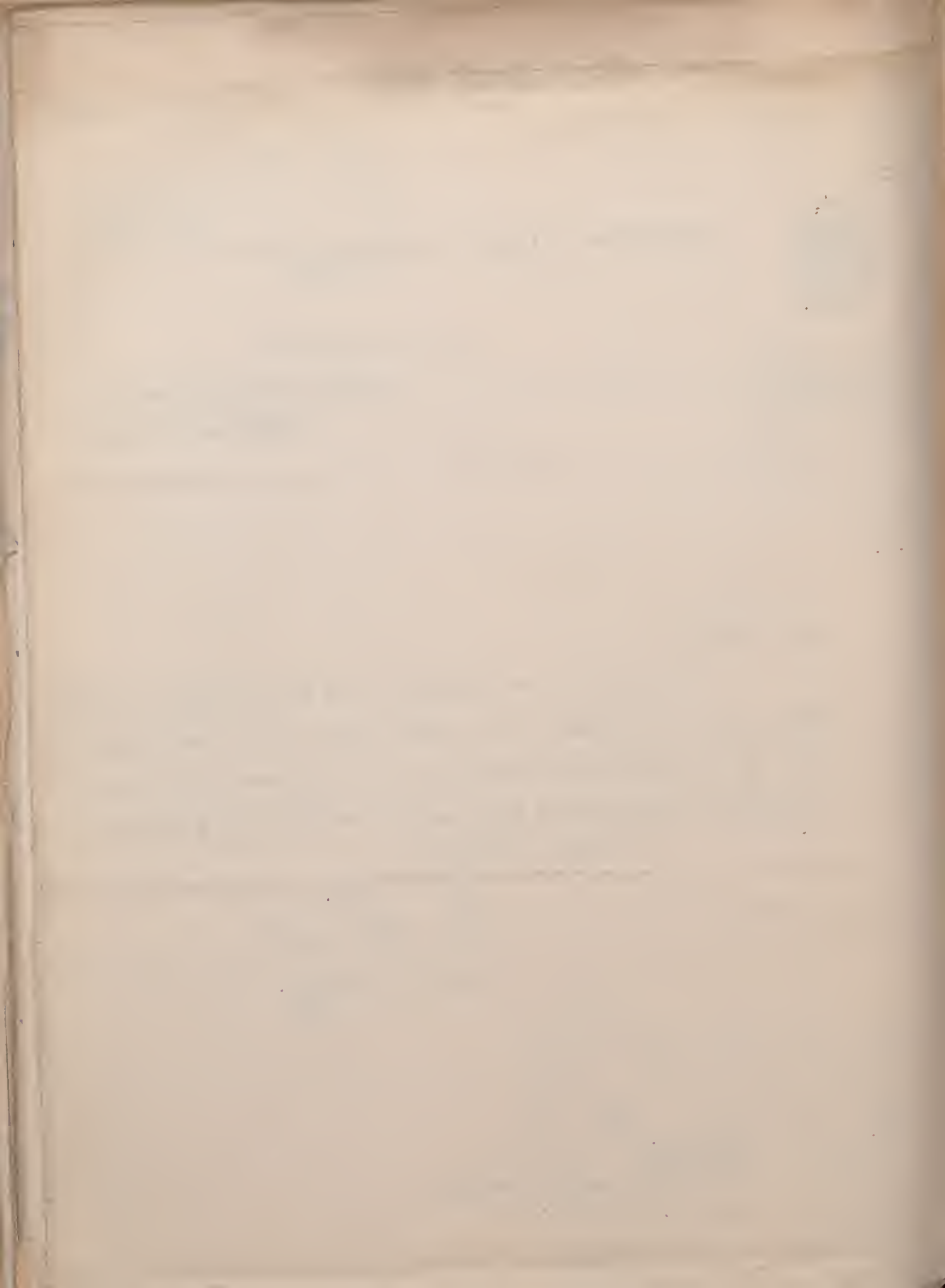
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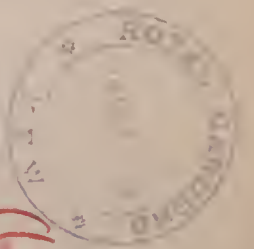
Lt.-Col. D. Prain, C.I.E., F.R.S.,
Director,
Royal Botanic Gardens,
Kew.

Notes.

Answered, a more complete list than the one sent on Feb. 24th cannot be sent. That list closely followed when packing the specimens. A few other items included to make up for things which had deteriorated. W.D.

23. 3. 11.





COUNTY SCHOOL FOR GIRLS,
PARKSHOT,
RICHMOND,
SURREY.

(621)

15 - 10 - 09

My Father says to thank

15 Director of 11 Royal Garden

has for the splendid collection

of Museum specimens. What

he has so kindly sent me

delight. They are most acceptable.

Yours Obedient
J. H. Chubb

ator Kew-Gardens,



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London County Council.

Collard Street

School Dept.

Lambeth Walk

L.C.C. Electoral Area.

April 4th 1910

[SUBJECT].

To the Curator, Kew Gardens

(Dear Sir

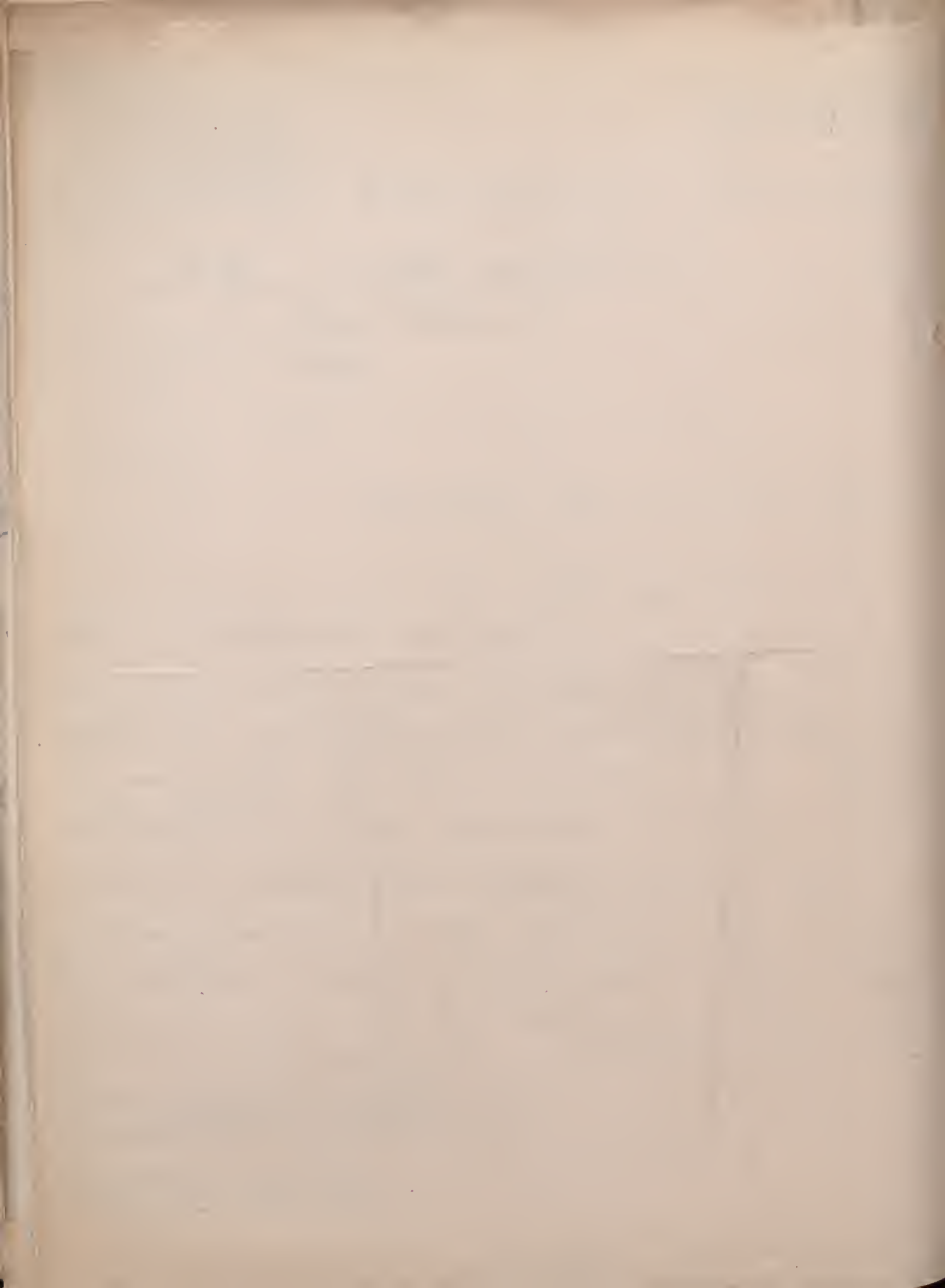
I am an Instructor in the above Handicraft Centre and I find it a task to get good specimens of woods (rare). Could you supply me with a set of specimens of woods not in common use in England. It would be of great assistance to me in my work and of great educational use to the boys. Hoping of favourably consideration of the above request I am Sir

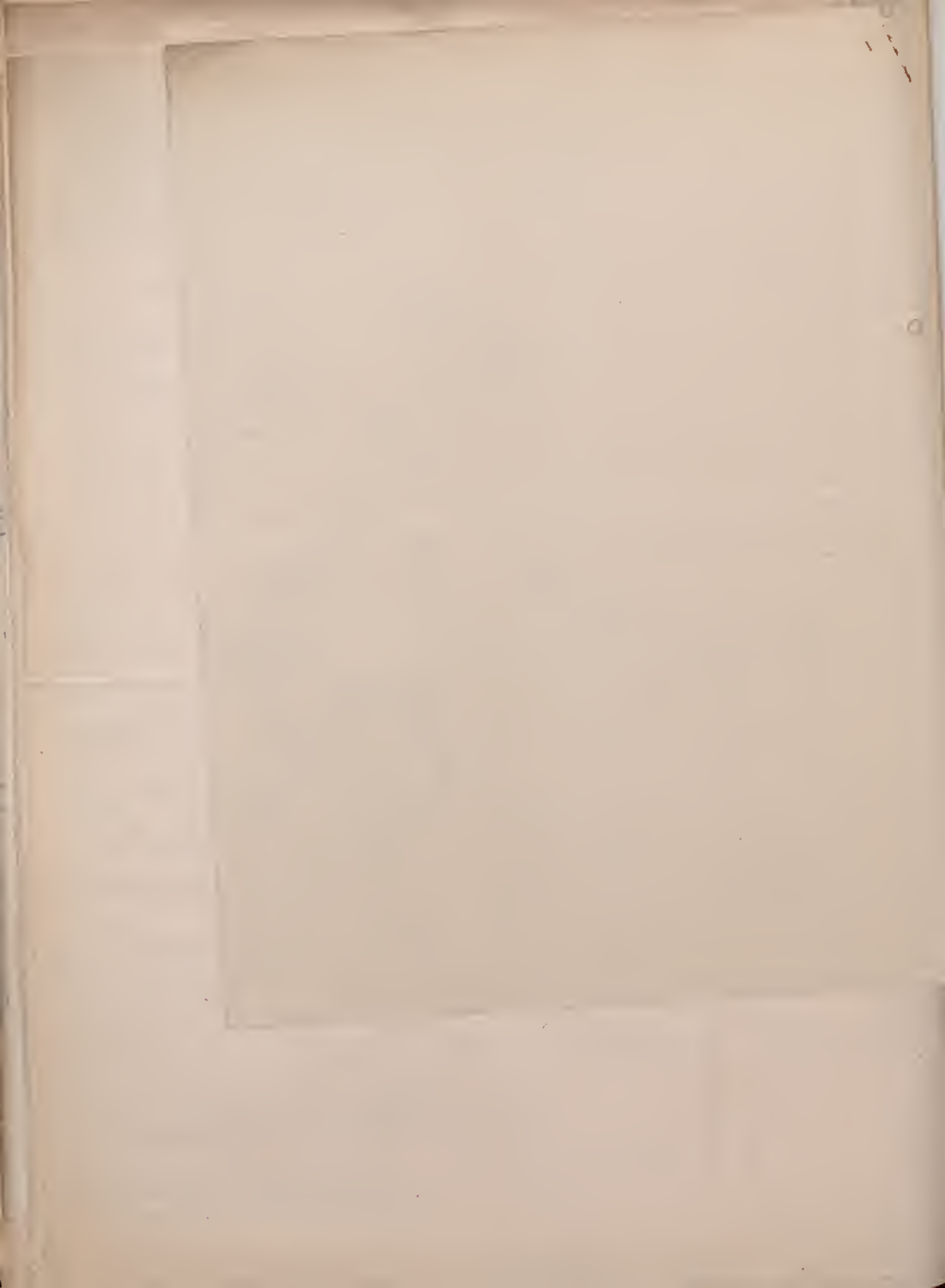
Yours Obedient

W. A. Chubb

The Curator Kew Gardens

6/4/10
Sixteen specimens of wood - given to me
19.12.11. add





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Unv. *Artemisia* dup. Not sent -
 private individuals. *Artemisia*
 1840

The curator.

Dear Sir,

(624)

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The Bank
 Colinton Road
 Plumstead

If at any time
 there happens to be any trees
 cut which would afford
 specimens for teaching purposes
 and yet be of no use to you I
 would be very grateful to you if
 you would forward some to the
 above address. I would be pleased
 also to pay any expenses incurred
 thereby. Believe me

Yours faithfully
 John G. Chambers

Royal Botanic Gardens

Heas.



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London County Council.

OLIVER GOLDSMITH

School MT Dept.

Geckham Road Camberwell

L.C.C. Electoral Area.

Aug 31 1910

Specimens "Timber"

[SUBJECT].

The Director

Sir

*Sixteen specimens of
Brit. grown wood sent.
19. IX. 11.
Ack. with thanks
29. IX. 11. W.D.*

I shall feel greatly obliged if you could forward me some specimens of Timber for my Museum for teaching purposes in the Handicraft Centre on the above premises

Yours faithfully
Mores

Teacher in Handicraft

Informed, letter would be kept in hand and dealt with when specimens are available.
Sept. 22 1910 W.D.

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London County Council.

Oliver Goldsmith

School *MT* Dept.

N Camberwell

L.C.C. Electoral Area.

Sep 20 1911

Specimens

[SUBJECT.]

Sir

Many thanks for collection of
specimens of home grown Timber
received today

They will be very useful for teaching
purposes

Yours faithfully

Noted.

W.D. 29. IX. 11.

W. Morey

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Free of
Post 15.9.10

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specimens sent
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26. x. 10
26. x. 10

Raynards Road

Council Street

(626)

Leithamston.

Sept. 14-10

The Director,
Royal Garden. New.

Dear Sir

I should be
pleased if you could
kindly send me some
"Museum Duplicates" for
use in our school.

We have been
making a strong point
of "Nature Study" for
some months past.

and I thought if it
were possible to procure
some specimens it would
enhance the teaching
of the subject in no
small degree.

I thank you in
anticipation for a
favourable reply.
. I am, Dear Sir

Yours faithfully
Fred. G. Morris

Easton Street

through

(627)

note
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Maynard Road.
Council Hill.
Washington. also I saw with

Oct 23rd - 10th m. supply

The Directors
Royal Botanic Gardens
Kew.
would be
at disposal.

Dear Sir,
Anticipation

I beg to

acknowledge, with many
thanks the receipt of

the Boston.

Parcel containing
Duplicata of Museum

Specimens for the use

in the above Hotel,

and I am quite sure

The scholars will
benefit very much, &
also the teachers by
their use in the lessons
given.

Again thanking you
I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Fred. G. Morris.

Letter is in reply to a
from the Education
state here the reference
number of communication.

London County Council.

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of the School should be enclosed in one
envelope, addressed to the Education
Officer. Special envelopes are supplied
for this purpose.

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far as possible, each letter may be
confined to one subject.

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asked him
to send the name of the
school.

and - 2. XI. 10.

Dear Sir,



60. Hamilton

27, West Preston Street,

Edinburgh

627

As a school teacher I have with
little to ask if you can supply
any specimens that would be
useful for educational purposes.

Thanking you in anticipation

I am
Yours truly

George Brown.

The Curator,
Botanical Museum

Heav.

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much, &
chess by
the lessons

asking you
as Sir,
Sincerely,

G. Morris.

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London County Council.

Vittoria Place

School

Handicraft

Barnsbury

Centre

L.C.C. Electoral Area.

14 Nov 1910

(628)
Specimens of Timber Trees [SUBJECT].

Dear Sir

I am an Instructor in Handicraft (Woodwork) at the above school under the London County Council.

I am also in charge of a Teachers training class in the same subject at Wolventon under the Bucks Education Committee.

Could you supply me with some specimens of the woods of Timber trees for use in the above classes?

I am yours

Sincerely

Herbert E. Gibbs

The Superintendent
The Royal Botanic Gardens
Kew

Private address
14 Cumming St
Pentonville

19.11.10
Sixteen specimens of
timber from woods near
19.11.10. W.D.
ack. with thanks
23.11.10. W.D.

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London County Council.

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Islington

L.C.C. Electoral Area.

Vittoria Place

School ~~Dept.~~ Dept.

Noted
W.D. 23.11.11.

Sept. 20th 1911

Specimens of Timber SUBJECT.

Dear Sir

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of a parcel of specimens of Home grown timber.

Please accept my best thanks for your courtesy in forwarding same.

I am Yours sincerely

Herbert E. Gibbs

The Director
Royal Gardens Kew



Answered on
March 10
4.11.
24.2.11.
Spok. at 2.11.

30 specimens



Oxford Street (E. of E.) School,
SWANSEA.

22/11

The Director

(129) Royal Botanical Gardens
Kew

Sir

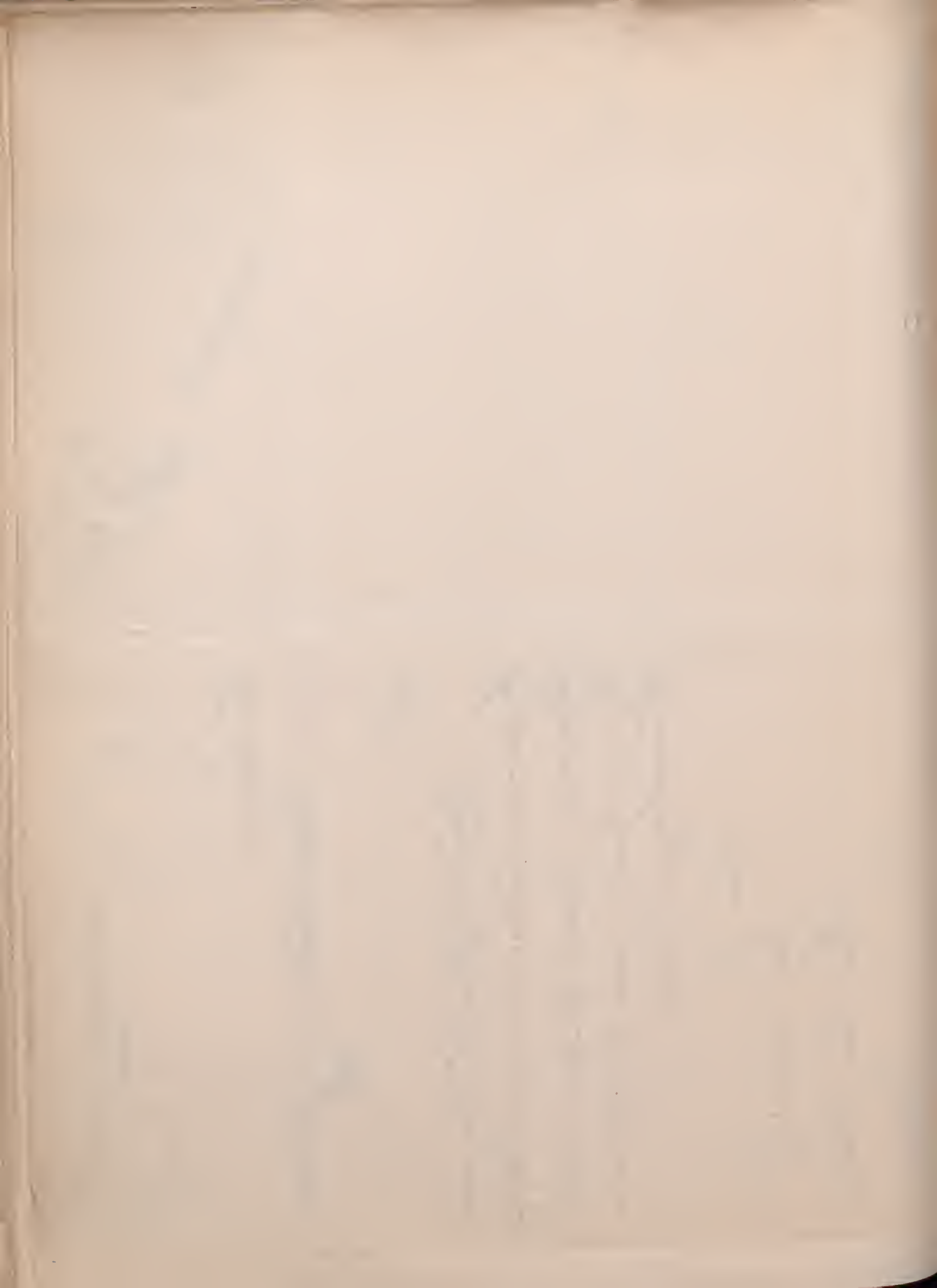
I should be glad if you could
furnish the above with some Botanical
specimens - Economic Plants - which
you may think would be of service
for teaching purposes.

Yours, Sir,

Yours sincerely

Mrs. E. M. Jenkins

18 March



Oxford Street (C. of E.) School,
Swansea.

23 February 1911.

The Director,

Royal Botanic Gardens,

Kew.



Dear Sir,

Please accept our heartiest thanks for the Japanese and Manchurian commercial products to hand this day. They will form the basis of several valuable and interesting lessons.

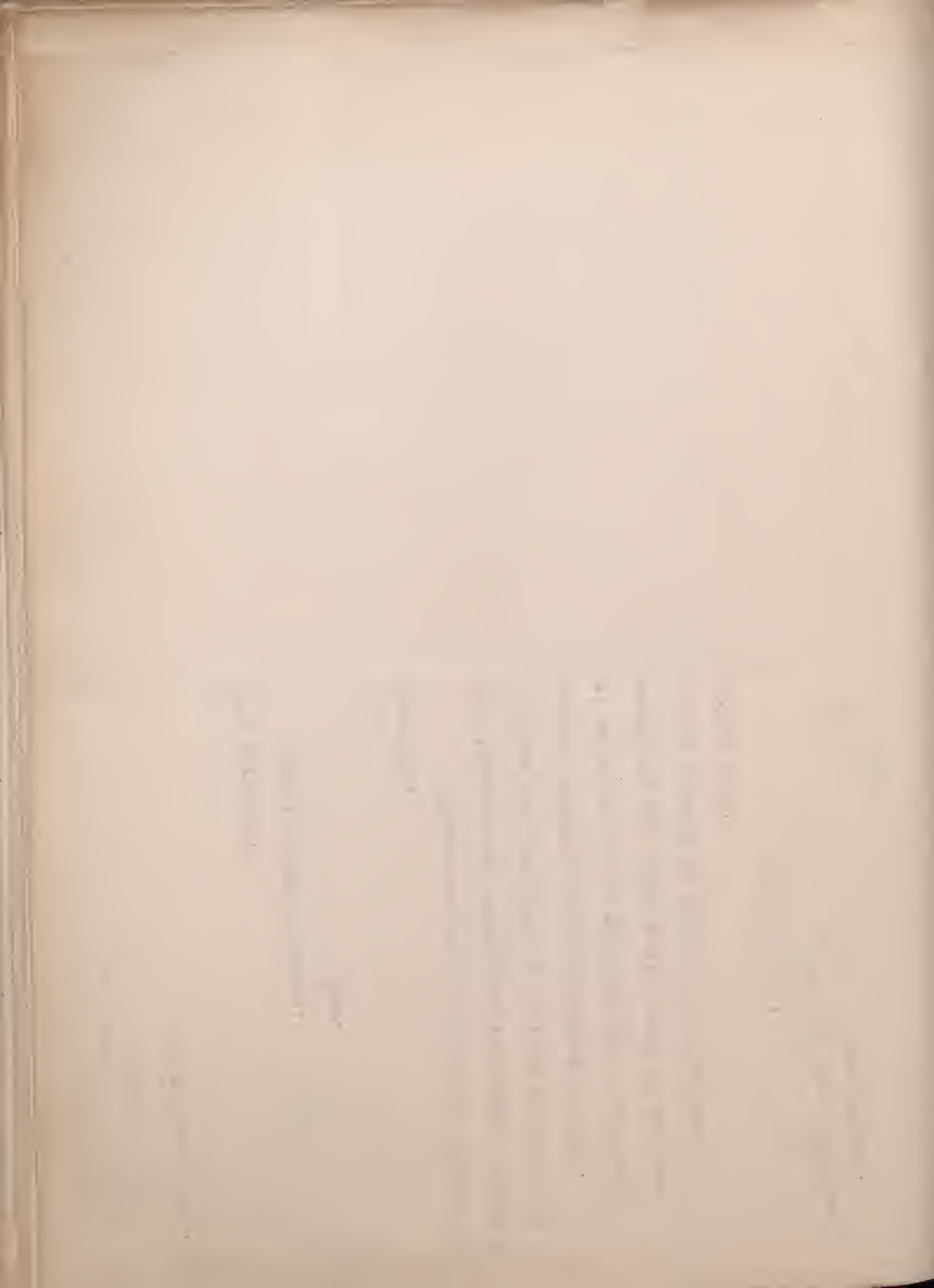
If at any time you may have spare specimens which you may think would prove of use for School Lessons we would be very pleased to accept such.

Yours truly,

W. H. R. S. S. S.
Head Master.

W. H. R. S. S. S.
25.2.11.

ORU



The Public School,
Kirkcovan,
Wigtownshire.

630

16th Dec. 1911

Leit. Col. D. Graham,
Director
Royal Botanic Gardens,
Kew.

Dear Sir,

I would be pleased
if you could see your way
to grant me any specimens
available for my school museum
here. We have about 190 pupils
on the roll at present and our
collection of specimens for teaching
purposes is very small.

The other members of the staff
and myself will be glad if you can
send us on a selection.

Yours faithfully,
J. B. Kirkcovan

Forwards,

Staff and
Kew,
I send
as soon
as possible
to the
first
assistant.

Noted.
D. 1.3.11.

Feb. 27. 1911.

The School House,
Kirkcovan,
Wigtownshire.



Noted.

52. x. 3. 11.

The School House,
Rivkeenan.

Wigtownshire.

Feb. 27. 1911.

Mr Director
Royal Botanic Gardens,
Kew.

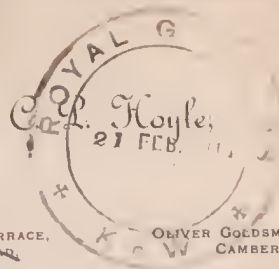
Sir, I beg to acknowledge
very so much the interest and
sympathy of the staff and
the museum committee for
the gift of the school museum.

The members of the staff and
I are highly pleased with them, and
in name of the school I send
you kindly thanks.

Yours faithfully
J. B. Stewart
Headmaster.



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10, ST. MARK'S TERRACE,
WYNDOLIFF ROAD,
LONDON, S.E.

OLIVER GOLDSMITH SCHOOL,
CAMBERWELL,
S.E.

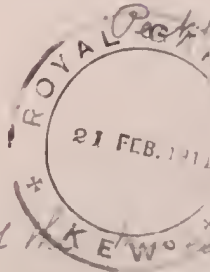


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10. St. Mark's Terrace,
Wyndeliff Road,
Charlton S.E.

The Oliver Goldsmith School,
Peckham Rd.,
Camberwell.
18.2.11.

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The Superintendent of the E.W. am.

Dear Sir

In connection with the above school, and as I believe the
New Gardens Museum may at times have a surplus
of duplicate specimens, I beg to ask that if there are
such, I might be granted the same for this museum.

I am,

Yours sincerely,
C. Hoyle.

30 specimens of Japanese & Manchurian
products sent. 21.11.11.

W.D.

ack. 23.2.11.
Noted W.D.

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MARK'S TERRACE,
WYNDLIFF ROAD,
CHARLTON S.E.

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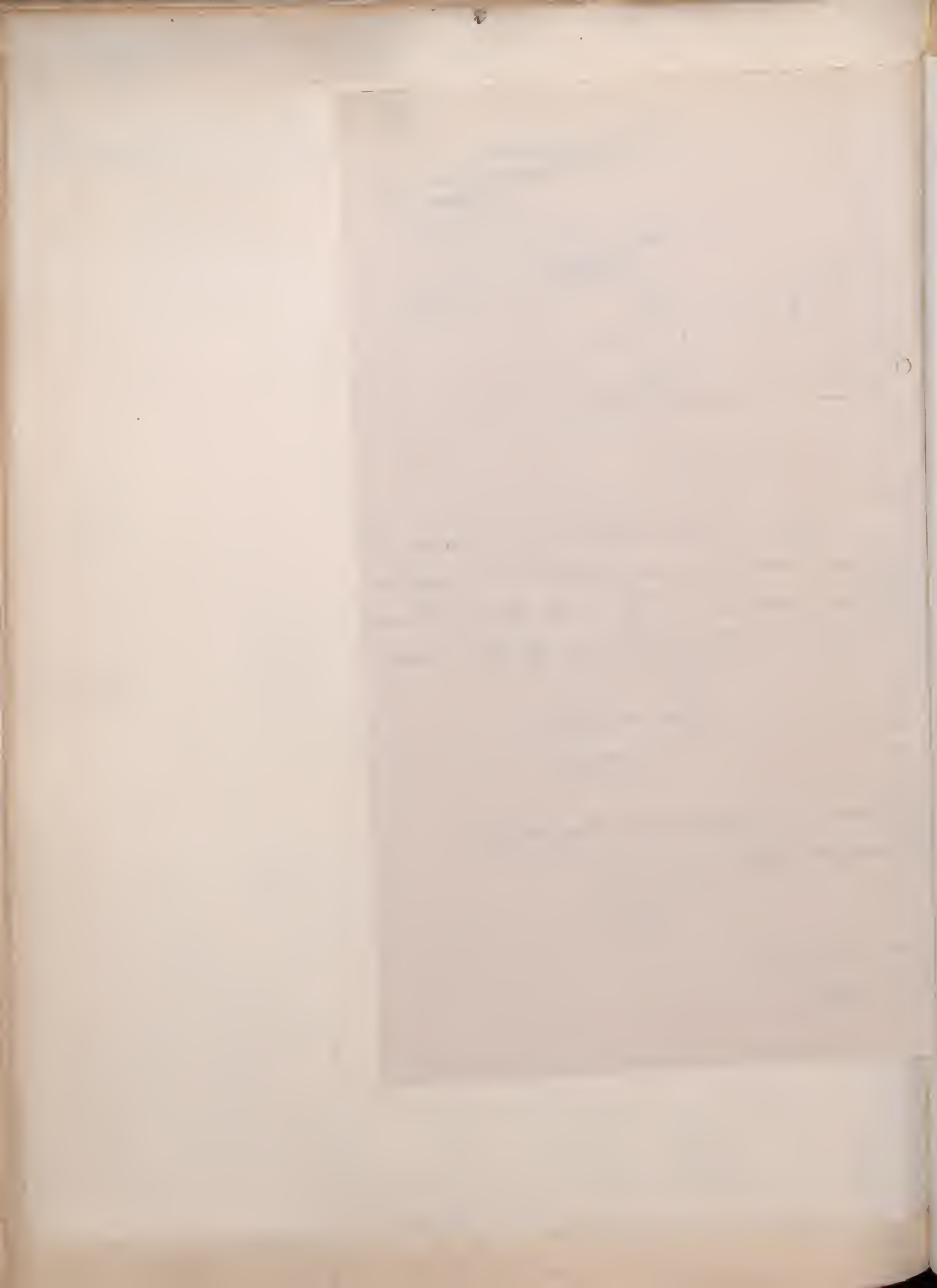
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Charlton, S.E.

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Peckham Road,
Camberwell, S.E.
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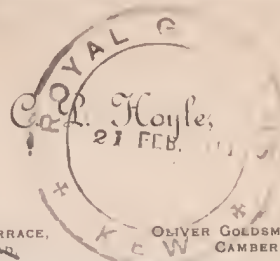
to acknowledge the arrival of
and Japanese specimens. I
and offer my sincerest
thanks in despatching same.

I am,

Yours truly,
C. Hoyle.



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10, ST. MARK'S TERRACE,
WYNDOLIFF ROAD,
LONDON, S.E.

OLIVER GOLDSMITH SCHOOL,
CAMBERWELL,
S.E.

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10, St. Mark's Terrace,
Wyndoliff Road,
Charlton, S.E.

The "Oliver Goldsmith" School,
Peckham Road,
Camberwell, S.E.

12. 2. '11.

To The Director,

Dear Sir

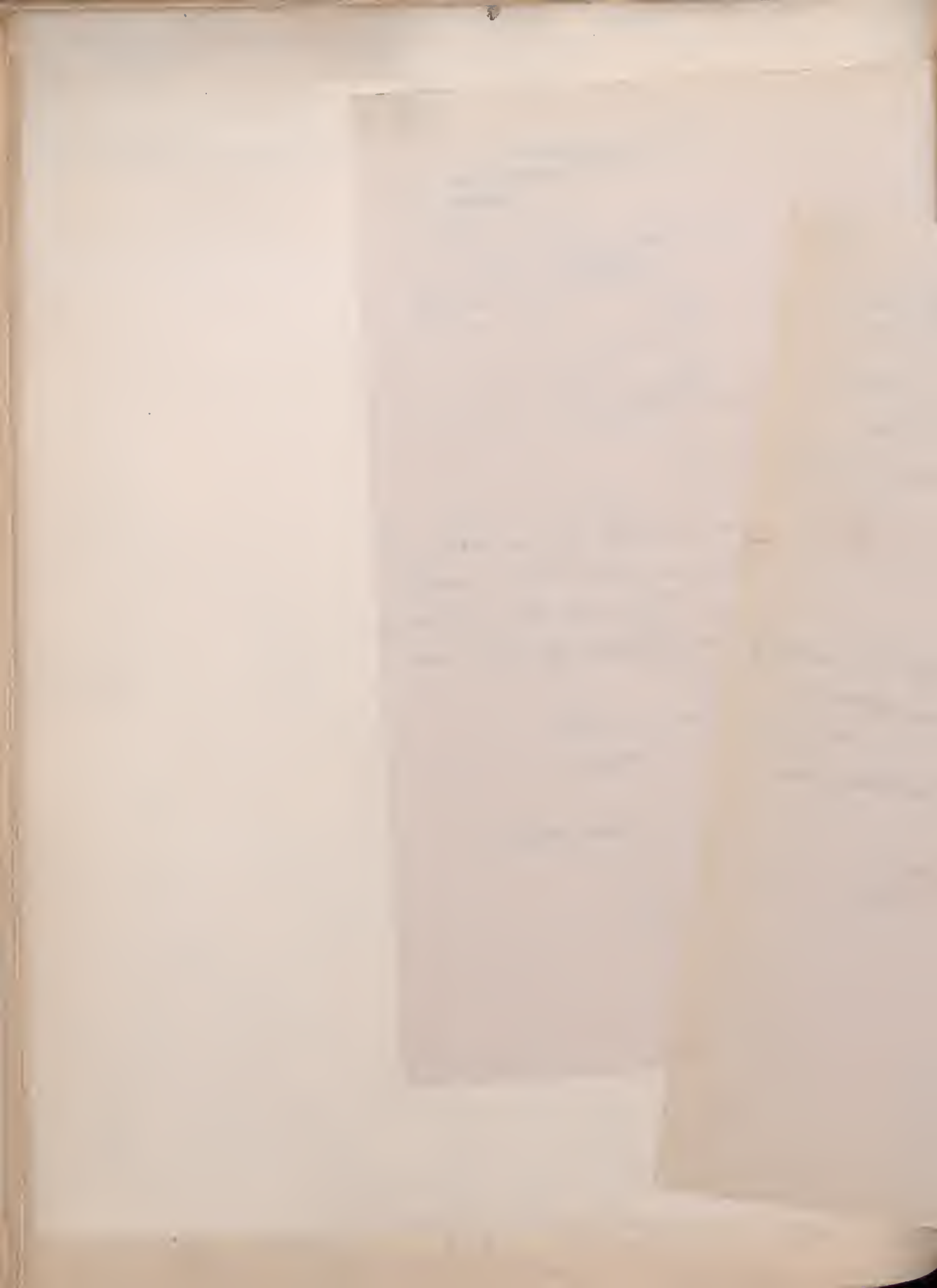
I beg to acknowledge the arrival of
the 30 Manchurian and Japanese specimens. I
am delighted with these and offer my sincerest
thanks for your kindness in despatching same.

I am,

Yours truly,

C. Hoyle.

Noted W.W.



632

Ellesmere Port Junior Council
Cheshire. Seb

Dear Sir

If you have any 855
botanical specimens, specimens of
wood, fruits etc. I should be glad
of them. I would gladly pay
postage on the same.

Thirty-five specimens
sent 9.3.11. G.W.D.
Ack 12.3.11. G.W.D.

Yours faithfully
J. E. Henderson.

POST CARD

THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE



*The Curator.
Kew Gardens.
London.*

ST. MA

Dear Sir,
 I have been given to understand that
 specimens of Commercial products are sent out
 from the Gardens - on proper application - to Clubs
 for teaching purposes.

RICHMOND EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

Kew Road Wesleyan School,
 Richmond,
 Surrey.



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March 8th 1911

Dear Sir,
 I have been given to understand that
 specimens of Commercial products are sent out
 from the Gardens - on proper application - to Clubs
 for teaching purposes.

I should be very pleased to receive a set of
 the above specimens, if you can spare one.
 I hope my application will be
 successful.

Chiefly Japanese & Manchurian products.

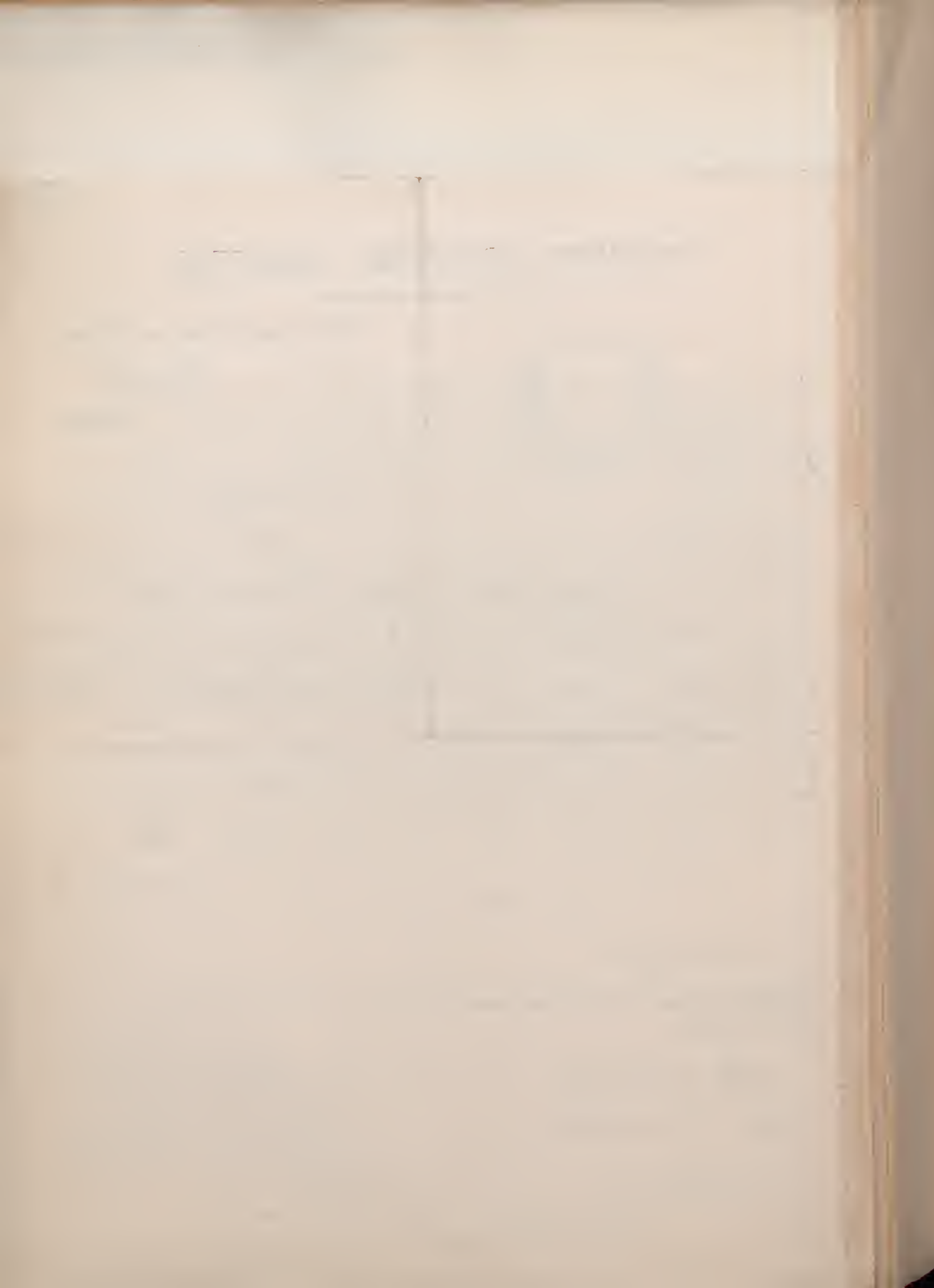
Yours faithfully,

Sent 10.3.11 W.D.

Act. 13.3.11 W.D.

The Director.

Kew Gardens.



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Wesleyan School,

Kew Road,

Richmond, Surrey.



March 2 1911

Dear Sir,

I have accepted.

Thank you for the information received today - I am sure you are very useful.

Yours,

W. H. P. P. P.

Mar. 14. 1911.

Mar. 2. 1911

The Director.

Wesleyan School.

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The

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Dear

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Will

be able

to come

to see,

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MEMORANDUM.

March 16th 1911.

The Head Teacher,

ST. MARY'S BOYS' SCHOOL,

Richmond, Surrey.

To
The Director
The Royal Botanical Gardens, Kew.

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From

The Head Teacher,

ST. MARY'S BOYS' SCHOOL,

Richmond, Surrey.

MEMORANDUM.

March 10th 1911

To
The Director
The Royal Botanical Gardens,
Kew.

the collection
by you for
visited.

Yours

Dear Sir (634)

Having museum cases both in my own and the
Girls' Department of the above School I shall
be pleased to receive any specimens of Botanical
or Foreign Productions you may have a surplus of
to dispose of that would be useful for object lessons.

W. A. B. 13.3.11. A.M.

45 Specimens sent 13.3.11 A.M.
ack. 17.3.11 A.M.

Yours respectfully
W. A. B. 13.3.11
Headmaster.

Certified Teacher of
Carpentry & Joinery



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From

The Head Teacher,
ST. MARY'S BOYS' SCHOOL,
Richmond, Surrey.

MEMORANDUM.

March 16th 1911.

To
The Director
The Royal Ordnance, New.

Dear Sir

Please accept my best thanks for the collection
of most interesting specimens kindly sent by you for
use in my School. They are greatly appreciated.

Yours
18.3.11.

Yours respectfully
William A. Bedford

Certified Teacher of General Fine
Carpentry & Joinery



COUNTY BOROUGH OF STOKE-ON-TRENT.

COUNTY BOROUGH OF STOKE-ON-TRENT.

HIGHER EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

HEAD MASTER :

DR. W. HARRIS, M.A.

Sutherland Technical Institute,

Longton, Stoke-on-Trent,

*Form sent out in
the usual way.*

Specimens sent, 26.1X.11.

Arch. 30.X.11.

635

July 19th 1911.

To the Director
Royal Botanic Garden.

Sir, If you have any pieces of the more uncommon timber of commerce that you do not require & that you consider would prove of interest to our students in carpentry & other woodworking classes I should be very grateful if you would let me know upon what terms we could acquire them.

Quite small pieces would be of service to us & it occurs to me that you may have a few small specimens of timber grown in the garden which would be of interest & educational value to compare with the commercial ~~specimens~~ stuff known under the same names.

I am

Yours faithfully

Certified Teacher of

Carpentry & Joinery

Ernest Jones

COUNTY BOROUGH OF STOKE-ON-TRENT.HIGHER EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

HEAD MASTER:

DR. W. HARRIS, M.A.

Sutherland Technical Institute,

Longton, Stoke-on-Trent,

Sept-29 1911

To the Director
Royal Botanic Gardens.

Dear Sir,

Yours of Sept-26th duly
received & the parcel of
"Timbers" has since come to
hand. I wish to express
my sincere thank, for so
useful & interesting a "set"
and I will do my utmost
to see that the best
possible use is made of
them by the students.

I am
Yours faithfully
Ernest Jones
Instructor of Carpentry

Noted

2. X. 11. W.D.

(Wm. Innes)

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London County Council.

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Specimens will be Childestrey St. Central School Boys Dept.
 & I shall have an opportunity of seeing them. 23. IX. 11.
 Specimens sent. 26. IX. 11. Ad.
 Ack. with thanks 29. IX. 11. Ad.
Specimens of Woods [SUBJECT].

The Director,
 New Gardens.

Dear Sir

In connection with the Woodwork Handicraft Centre of the above named School, we are trying to form a museum of objects bearing on the subject, and specimens of woods. We should be very glad if we could obtain any of the specimens you do not require. I may add that as this School is nearly organized as a Central School with an industrial bias, such a favour as we ask would be of special use and value.

Yours, Dear Sir,
 Yours respectfully,
 J. W. Lomas.
 (Instructor)



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London County Council.

Chilwell St. Central School Dept.
 Fulham, S.W. L.C.C. Electoral Area.
 Sep 28th 1901.

Specimens of Wood [SUBJECT].

The Director -

Royal Botanic Gardens.
 A.W.

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of a parcel of Specimens of Wood. They will make a valuable, interesting, and useful addition to our Museum.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours Truly

J.W. Lomas.

Noted.

29. IX. 01 W.D.

(Inspector.)



Centrals

Telephone, 813 EAL

The Director
RoyaSir,
I be

most a

optende

specimens

yesterday,

attacks

is most.

260798—W. & S. Ltd.—27831—2000—1-08.

ROYAL BOTANIC GARDENS, KEW.

MEMORANDUM.

Subject

Museum duplicates

Miss Bradshaw called on behalf
of ~~Mrs.~~ Gill asking for any available
Museum duplicates for Cuckoo School
Greenford Avenue, Hanwell.

~~M. H.~~
27. 9. 11

approved
C. A. S.

28. 10. 11.

Specimens sent

28. 10. 11. W.D.

ack. 2. 11. 11. W.D.



Central London District School.

Hamwell, Middlesex, W.

Telephone 813 EALING.

30th Sept. 1911

The Director of the

Royal Botanic Gardens

Kew.

Sir,
Recd
2.10.11
C.S.D.

I beg to thank you most sincerely for the splendid parcel of specimens delivered here yesterday. The information attached to the specimens is most useful, & the various objects will vastly improve

our Geography lessons.

Our children are regularly taken to the Gardens every alternate week for Nature Study, and, without leaving to impose on your generosity, we should always be delighted to receive any little parcel of specimens - especially from our Colonies - & willingly defray not only the expenses of carriage but packing as well.

On behalf of the children I thank you most heartily, & beg your acceptance of a copy of our last magazine written almost entirely by our scholars & containing some of the youngest children's exhibit

attempt at "Observation
& Nature Study".

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant

George Gill.

The County School



8
Surrey
Sep. 29th 1911

J. h. Miller Esq
New York

Notes of business

New Garden

Dear Sir,

Dear Sir, I should be glad if
you would bring out the stone
any specimens of horn, etc. for our
Scott museum. We have several
of the white Cornish variety.
Yours I should be very grateful.
I am Sir

Yours truly
T. D. Child

30. IX. 11.
Specimens
2. X. 11.
Red. 4. X. 11. 6. 11.



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THE COUNTY SCHOOL FOR BOYS,
KEW ROAD,

A. E. BUCKHURST, M.A.
HEADMASTER.

RICHMOND,
SURREY.

Feb 3rd 1911

The Director of the Royal Botanic Gardens
Kew.

Dear Sir

I beg to thank for your
letter & for the Collection of home-grown
tinkers you have kindly forwarded
to me for the County School for Boys.
They will be of very great use to us.
Again thanking you.

I am Sir,

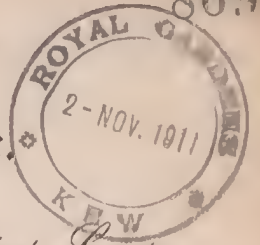
Yours very truly.

T. Stutch

Noted

H. X. 11 W.D.

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Chiswick Education Committee.

E. SUDDS,
Instructor.

Turnham Green Special Subjects Centre
(Handicraft Department).

Chiswick, W.

1st Nov 1911

Dear Sir

I beg to thank you for the
examples of timber sent to the above
I have returned the box to-day

I am

Yours
faithfully

E. Suds

Director

Kew Gardens

Noted 2. XI. 11.
W.D.

CHARLES ROBERT STANTON

1848

I beg to thank you for the
copy of the book sent to me which
I have returned to you by
mail.

Yours faithfully
C. R. Stanton

Received
of the sum of
£ 10 00

1848

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(640)

Alice Wardell

48 Kenilworth Rd.

St. Leonards

Oct. 12th 1911

for a Blind School

Specimens not yet available

7. XI. 11

J.H.H.

Dear Sir,
 I am wondering
 if when you cut down

Amount in amount 500
 17. XI. 11
 Specimens not
 27. XI. 11
 641
 Oct. 2. XI. 11
 500.

15, Lutley Road.
 Liphew Park. N.
 16th Oct 1911.



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Am. in wood on
 17. x. 11. 1852.
 Specimens sent
 27. x. 11. 1852.

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Oct. 2. x. 11. 1852.

16th Oct 1911.

15, Lutley Road.
 Lymington Park. N.

Dear Sir,



I am wondering
 if when you cut down
 any of the trees in Ken
 Gardens you could send
 me some specimens for
 my class at the L. C. C
 School, Mortem Street,
 Bethnal Green. N.E. I am

one of the Handicraft
 instructors at the School
 and the specimens would
 be of very great use during
 my lessons. With many
 thanks yours faithfully,
 The Curator.
 L. Remie Pearson

9 Patwell St
Bristol 873
Somerset.

Dear Sir (642)

Could you help me in the
matter of specimens of timber
tree words.

I am an Instructor of
Woodwork in Bristol and
should like to receive some of the
really official knowledge. and wood to.

Yours truly
Leslie F. Wright.
Specimens sent 30.11.11
ask. 2.11.11
Specimens could be sent, provided name and address
of school were given, 26.11.11

9 Patwell St.
Bristol
Somerset.

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up School
Bristol
Somerset.

Yours truly
Leslie F. Wright.

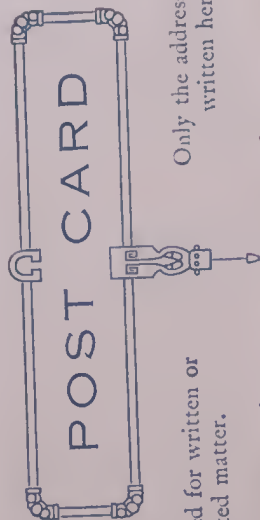
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28.11.11

9 PATWELL ST 875
BRISTOL
NOV 11 1911
AL GARDEN
ved specimens

many thanks
I am
Yours truly
Leslie F. Wright

noted

2.11.11
W.D.



To be used for written or
printed matter.

Only the address to be
written here.

Director of New Gardens

New Gardens

Kew. Middlesex

27-10-11

9 Patwell St.
 Bruton
 Somerset.

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Dear Sir,

In reply to yours of the
 26^{inst} - would you be kind
 enough to send woods to.

Seacey's School
 Bruton
 Somerset.

Yours truly
 Leslie E. Wright.

noted
 J.H.H.
 28.X.11

9 PATWELL ST 875
 BRUTON
 SOMERSET
 OCT 21 1911

- NOV. 1911

ved specimens

many thanks

Yam

Yours truly

Leslie E. Wright

noted

2.XI.11

W.D.



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written here.

POST CARD



To. The Director

New Gardens.

New

Middlesex.

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Informed specimens
 would be sent as soon as
 opportunity offers,
 asked to send name of
 school.
 7. XI. 11
 J.H.H.
 Specimen sent
 14. XI. 11. 15.00.
 Ack. 11. I. 13. 15.00.

J. Weston High School
 Bath. 11. 1. 12.

55 Shaftesbury Avenue
 Bath. 8. Nov. 1911

55 Shaftesbury Avenue

Bath. 21 Nov. 1911.

Dear Sir

(6413)

It has been suggested

to me by a Board of Education
 Inspector for Woodwork, that we

9 PATWELL 875
 ROYAL GARDENS
 2 - NOV. 1911

Dear Sir,
 Received specimens
 to-night.

With many thanks

Yours truly

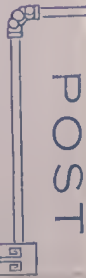
Leslie F. Wright

ack notes

2. XI. 11
 W.D.



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to the Director

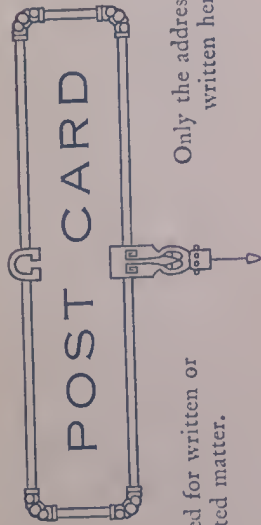
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New

Middlesex.



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Director

New Gardens

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Newton High School
Bath. 11-1-12

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55 Shearpeace Avenue
Bath 8 Nov. 1911

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by friend specimens
would be sent as soon as
opportunity offers,
asked to send name of
school.

7. X 1. 11

J.H.H.

Specimen sent
14 X 11. 11. 15

Dec. 11. 1. 13. 15

Dear Sir

(643)

55 Shearpeace Avenue
Bath. 4 Nov. 1911.

It has been suggested

to me by a Board of Education the
Inspector for Woodwork, that
there might be a possibility of
obtaining some specimens of
wood from your gardens, for
use in lecturing on the various
kinds of wood etc.
If you could kindly let me
have some specimens, I would

gladly defray all the expenses.
incurred. Meanwhile I remain

Yours sincerely

Cecil R. Torbett.

The Director of the Royal Garden
New.

878

Newton High School
Bath. 11-1-12.

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55 Shaftesbury Avenue
Bath 8 Nov. 1911

Dear Sir

I am in receipt of

your letter of the 7th inst. re

which many thanks.

I should be glad to have the

wood specimens forwarded

to Woodcock Dept. Newton

High Elementary School.

Newton. Bath.

Regretting my error in first

letter.

Yours sincerely

Yours sincerely

Leed R. P. P. P.

The Director Royal Botanical

Garden, Kew.

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18 Wellington 17^d

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Dear Sir,
I should

Dear Sir,

You would do

Referring to your letter of

18 Wellington 17^d

Wellington 17^d

2-12-11

Thanking you in anticipation
of this transfer.

I remain,
Yours

[Signature]

Newton High School 17^d

13th Oct. 11 1-12

NOTED
12.1.12
C.D.

Dear Sir

Many thanks for the

valuable collection of wood. You
forwarded to this school an answer
to my request.

The specimens will prove very
useful and instructive to the
boys in the woodwork dept.

I am Sir
Yours truly

Geoff R. T. Smith

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Dunbar

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Dear Sir,

I should

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will gladly & clear use. As this is the

to above address would it be possible

I ask you to send any spare

your specimens of timber you

I might have to the address

be low?

Battersea 17th Nov (Council Hk.)

Handwritten 17th Nov.

Battersea 17th Nov. 1744
See.

Oct 6 44

Dear Sir,

Referring to your letter of

the 1st inst. I should like to

say that the specimens of

timber I inquired about, were

18 Wellington Rd

Wimbledon 17th

2-12-11

Thanking you in anticipation
of this knowledge.

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

C. H. Woodcock.

Specimens sent

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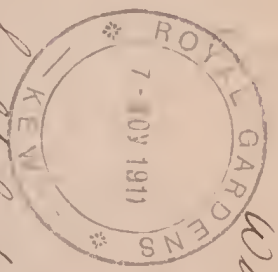
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Dear Sir,

I should be deeply obliged if you would be kind enough to let me have any specimens of timber you could spare. I will gladly pay cost of same to above address.

I am,

Yours faithfully,

E. F. W. W. W. W.

Inform me to send specimens to my private address.

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Send with address of above

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a great favour if you
 have any extra duplicates
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 could supply me with for
 my museum here as what
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Nature would be highly
valued.

Yours faithfully

C. H. Gilbury

Head Teacher,
S.S.

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Kearney

I desire to thank

Kearney

13. XII. 11.

Dec 12th 1911Spring Station
Danbury.

You for the very fine
 parcel of chloride you
 kindly furnished me & for
 my eldest treasure.

I am ever & truly with much
 appreciation & thanks a valued

Yours faithfully

The Librarian

the Librarian

C. T. D. D. D.

Nature would be highly
valued.

Yours faithfully

W. J. C.

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Cyfarthfa Castle Museum and Art Gallery.

ISAAC J. WILLIAMS,

Curator.

Please address all communications
to the Town Hall, Merthyr.

(646)

Merthyr Tydfil.

Specimens sent

10.1.12. W.D.

Ackd & noted 19.1.12. W.D.

Dec 15th

1911.

The Director
Botanical Gardens
Kew. London.

Dear Sir
Do you send collections
illustrating plant life - growth, & sample
of timbers &c. suitable for Museums.
I have from time to time seen exhibits
from your department at Agricultural
Shows, & I thought perhaps you
might be able to help our local
Museum in this direction.

Thanking you in anticipation.

Believe me sincerely yours
Isaac Williams

Promised specimens as soon as

opportunity offers, perhaps early in the New
Year.

J.H. 16.11.11

Sent 10.1.12. W.D.

Ack. 19.1.12.

Noted W.D.

Cyfarthfa Castle Museum and Art Gallery.

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to the Town Hall, Merthyr.

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Merthyr Tydfil.

18th. December 1911.

The Director, *icul*
Royal Botany Gardens,
Kew, London.

Dear Sir,

I am directed by the Chairman and Members of my Committee to convey to you their many thanks for your kind and prompt response to my application for duplicate Museum Specimens.

I am,

Your obedient Servant,

Isaac J. Williams

Curator.



TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS,
"POLYCHREST, LONDON."

Borough Polytechnic Institute,

103, Borough Road, S.E.

TELEPHONE NUMBER,
3686 HOP.

In reply please quote

Chairman.

J. LEONARD SPICER.

Secretary.

W. M. RICHARDSON.

Principal.

C. T. MILLIS, M.I.M.E.

Lady Superintendent.

HELEN M. SMITH, B.A.

Bankers.

THE LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK LIM.
28, BOROUGH, HIGH STREET, S.E.

London, ^{ny} Feb. 1st 1912

Dear Sir

Should you have any specimens
of Timber to spare, I should be glad
of them for educational purposes.

I am

Yours faithfully

G. H. Parker.

The Curator.

Teacher of woodwork
& Lecturer in Carpentry.

Noted 3. ii. 12. W.D.
Specimens sent 8. ii. 12. W.D.

17. ii. 12.

15 FEB. 1912 A.M.

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N. H.

February 14th

19 12.

TELEPHONE NO 719.

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE J. B.

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With the Secretary's Compliments.

This letter was sent to this office in error.

BOARD OF EDUCATION,
WHITEHALL, LONDON, S.W.

Form 14.

Your obedient servant,

W. D. B.

The Director,

Royal Botanic Garden,

Kew Gardens, S.O.

Surrey.

*Noted, W.D.
17. ii. 12.*

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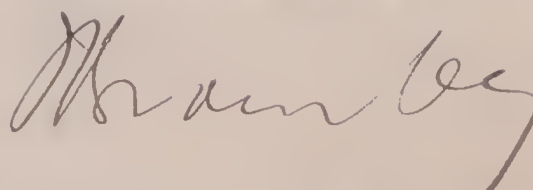
Sir,

Mr. J. L. Woughton of Worksop informs me that you very kindly sent him a collection of botanical specimens for use in connection with his Worksop Study Union and I have to thank you for your kindness in this connection, as the specimens will be extremely useful.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,



The Director,

Royal Botanic Garden,

Kew Gardens, E.O.

Surrey.

*Noted. W.D.
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Public Library and Technical School, Workshop,

C. E. DAFFEN, Hon. Sec.

J. T. HOUGHTON, LIBRARIAN.

1st Feby 1912

Dear Sir:-

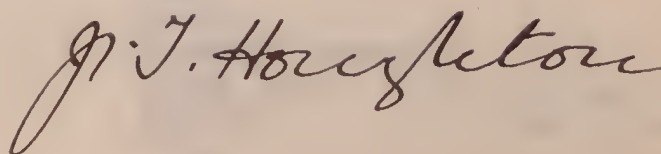
I thank you for yours of the 31st ult. and for your kindness in offering us some of your duplicates.

I shall be pleased: on behalf of our Notts Teachers; to accept anything which you can spare us and will inform them of the additions to our stock so that the specimens may be used for educational purposes.

I enclose herewith a portion of our "list of lessons in stock" and as you will see from it we are really very badly off for Botanical specimens.

I also enclose one of our Requisition sheets on the back of which you will find the few simple rules I have for working the scheme. My Committee have allowed me to store the specimens here and the Notts Education Committee pay for the carriage of the boxes to and from the schools so that we do not have to charge the Teachers anything for the use of the specimens and as regards the preparation and mounting of the Birds, Animals, Reptiles etc. that is my hobby.

Yours faithfully,



Specimens sent
Feb. 8th 1912.

W.D.
Ack. 14. 11. 12.
W.D.

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Bancroft 19. 2. 12



DATE

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th inst. in relation to the matter of the purchase of the book of the same title as above mentioned. I have the pleasure to inform you that the same has been ordered and will be forwarded to you as soon as it is received. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours,
J. H. Thompson

J. H. Thompson

Librarian
Public Library and Technical School
Worcester, Mass.

INSECTS Cont'd

Grasshoppers
 Hop Weevil
 Horn Tailed Sawfly
 Humble Bee
 Humming Bird Hawk Moth
 Insects
 Lacewing Fly
 Ladybirds
 Magpie Moth
 March Moth
 Marsh Digger Moth
 Mealworm Beetle
 Moths
 Mottled Umber Moth
 November Moth
 Oak Beauty Moth
 Onion Fly
 Parasitic Insects
 Painted Lady Butterfly
 Peacock Butterfly
 Pine Sawfly
 Plume Moths
 Poplar Hawk Moths
 Quaker Moths
 Red Admiral Butterfly
 Satellite Moth
 Sawflies
 Scorpion Fly
 Silk Moth
 Small Cabbage Butterfly
 Tiger Beetle
 Tortoiseshell Butterfly
 Turnip Flea
 Vapourer Moth
 Wasp Beetle
 Wasps
 Water Beetle
 Winter Gnat
 Winter Moth
 Wireworm.

FISHES etc.

 Barnacles
 Belemites
 Bullhead
 Crayfish
 Crabs
 Crustacea
 Earthworm
 Pholae
 Sea Anemone
 Sea Urchin

FISHES etc. cont.d

Shells
 Skates
 Snails
 Spiders
 Sponges
 Star Fish
 Sucking Fish

MINERALS Etc.

 Alum
 Amber
 Charcoal
 Coal
 Common Rocks
 Common Minerals
 Copper
 Coral
 Fossils
 Iron
 Jet
 Gold
 Limestone
 Lead
 Resin
 Sulphur
 Zinc

Plants Etc.

 Brazil Nut Have seed case only
 Christmas Rose
 Cocoa Nut " Husk only
 Coltsfoot
 Cotton " Cotton pods only
 Fir
 Galls
 How a Knot Grows
 Grasses
 Gourds
 Leaves
 Lichens
 Oak
 Peat
 Seeds
 Spines & Thorns
 Sugar Cane Have cane only
 Tobacco " bits of leaf only
 Wood.

Model of Tabernacle

Please keep this list for reference.



NOTTS. EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

WORKSHOP NATURE STUDY UNION.

Department

School

C.C. No.

All applications for objects, lesson notes, etc., must be made on this form to Mr. J. T. HOUGHTON, Free Library, Worksop, at least 14 days before the objects, etc., for the first lesson are required.

Specimens are required to illustrate the following lessons during the month,
quarter, year ending _____ 191

NOTTS, TEACHERS
NATURE STUDY UNION.

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Objects of the Union.

To assist all Teachers in schools under the Notts County Education Committee who desire to give Nature Knowledge lessons to their children with the loan of suitable objects or notes for the lessons or to give information on Nature Study to Teachers requiring the same.

RULES FOR OBTAINING SPECIMENS FOR USE IN SCHOOLS.

1. All Head Teachers must send to the Secretary of the centre a list of the lessons they will require during the session.
2. Great care must be exercised with the specimens as any damaged by careless handling will be charges for.
3. All objects must be returned within such time as the Secretary may intimate and no further supplies will be sent until this has been done.

NOTICE. Teachers are specially requested to return objects promptly in order to prevent other schools being kept waiting for them.

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C. E. DAPPEN, Hon. Sec.
J. T. HOUGHTON, LIBRARIAN.

Workshop.

22nd Feby 1912 24 FEB.

Dear Sir:-

Many thanks for yours of the 19th inst and for your kindness in offering us the specimens of Bamboo stems.

I shall be pleased to accept these on behalf of our country Teachers as they will be useful for illustrating lessons.

Most of the specimens which you have already sent have been put into circulation and I have at present two schools waiting for their turn to use them so soon as they are returned again.

Yours faithfully,

Noted
24.11.12.
Specimens sent.
26.11.12. ASD.

J. T. Houghton

173 Shooter's Hill, Pa
Blackheath
Specimens sent. 1. 11.12. S. E.
25-2-12
Ack.
6.3.12.
W.D.

in receipt of yours
and desire to
for promise to

173 Shooter's Hill, Pa

NOTES, TEACHERS
NATURE STUDY UNION.

April 15, 1905
New York

Dear Sir,

Very respectfully,

John H. Brown

These notes are for the use of the teachers of the Nature Study Union.

and into the hands of the children. The notes are for the use of the teachers of the Nature Study Union.

I have been very much interested in the work of the Nature Study Union.

Very truly yours,
John H. Brown

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Public Library and Technical School



173 Shooter's Hill Rd
Blackheath S.E.
Specimens sent 1. iii. 12. 2. 5-2-12
Ack. 6.3.12.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of yours of the 23rd inst. and desire to thank you for promise to send specimens.

The school at which I am at present engaged is:

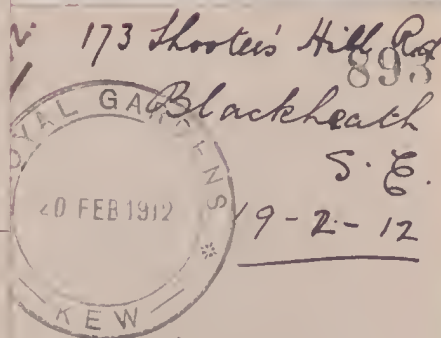
Olney Rd L.C.C. School

Rushy Green

Catford S.E.

Yours faithfully:

H. F. Broadribb



an assistant in handicraft. I should deem special favour, and same time be

greatly obliged, if you will send to above address a few specimens of timber at your convenience.

Yours truly
Harry F. Broadribb

173 Shooter's Hill Rd
Blackheath S.E.
4-3-12

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ks for the
ecimens which
this morning.

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exceed anything I had
expected.

I remain
Gratefully yours
Harry F. Broadribb

POST CARD

The Director
Royal Botanic Gardens

News

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NOTES, TEACHING
NATURE STUDY

The first question which has been asked is: "What is the
 purpose of the study?" The answer is: "To determine the
 effect of the study on the student's knowledge of the subject."
 The second question is: "What is the scope of the study?"
 The answer is: "The study is limited to the student's knowledge
 of the subject at the time of the study."

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173 Shooter's Hill Rd
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ROYAL GARDEN
20 FEB 1912
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Dear Sir

As an assistant
instructor in handicraft
(woodwork) I should deem
it a special favour, and
at the same time be
greatly obliged, if you
will send to above
address a few specimens
of timber at your
convenience.

Yours truly
Harry F. Broadribb

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Blackheath

S.E.

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Harry F. Broadribb

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5.3.12.
Specimens sent
7.3.12 W.D.

Wina Road 895

Central School
Barnstaple Dist

Red Hill Road

S. E.

2-3-12



Dear Sir,

I should be very
thankful if you could send
me a few specimens of
the same, for educational purposes.

Yours Respectfully

W. Hussey.

"Breton"

New Gardens.

Noted
6.3.12
W.D.

173 Shooter's Hill Rd
Blackheath 894

S. E.

4-3-12

Dear Sir,

Please accept my
sincere thanks for the
very fine specimens which
I received this morning.
I must admit they far
exceed anything I had
expected.

I remain

Gratefully yours

Harry F. Broadribb

NOTES. TEACH

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ONLY THE ADDRESS TO
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the Director,

Royal Botanic Gardens,

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5.3.12.
Specimens sent
7.3.12 W.D.

Wine Road 895

Central School
Hendon Road

2nd & 3rd Road

S. E.

2-3-12



Dear Sir,

I should be very
thankful if you could send
me a few specimens of
"Wine", for educational purposes.

Yours Respectfully

W. Hussey.

"Wine"

Ken Gardens.

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Orange Street

School Dept.

Boro!

L.C.C. Electoral Area.

Noted
12.3.12.

11. 3. 1912

[SUBJECT.]

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Dear Sir

Might I ask if you have any specimens of wood suitable for Educational purposes & not required by you, if so, & you could see your way clear to forward me a few for the purposes above mentioned I should esteem it a favour. Thanking you in anticipation

I am

Dear Sir

Yours faithfully

Edw Woolford.

Inst. - in charge

Dept. Cent.

Specimens sent

13.3.11. W.D.

Specimens Ack.

14.3.11. W.D.

The Curator

New Gardens

New.

Mr. Hilke

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Very Much

School *Acft* Dept.

Boro' L.C.C. Electoral Area.

14. 3. 1912.

[SUBJECT.]

Dear Sir

Collection of specimens of woods
& Japanese Bamboo duly received. Kindly
accept my best thanks for same.

Noted.

16. 3. 12, W.D.

Yours truly

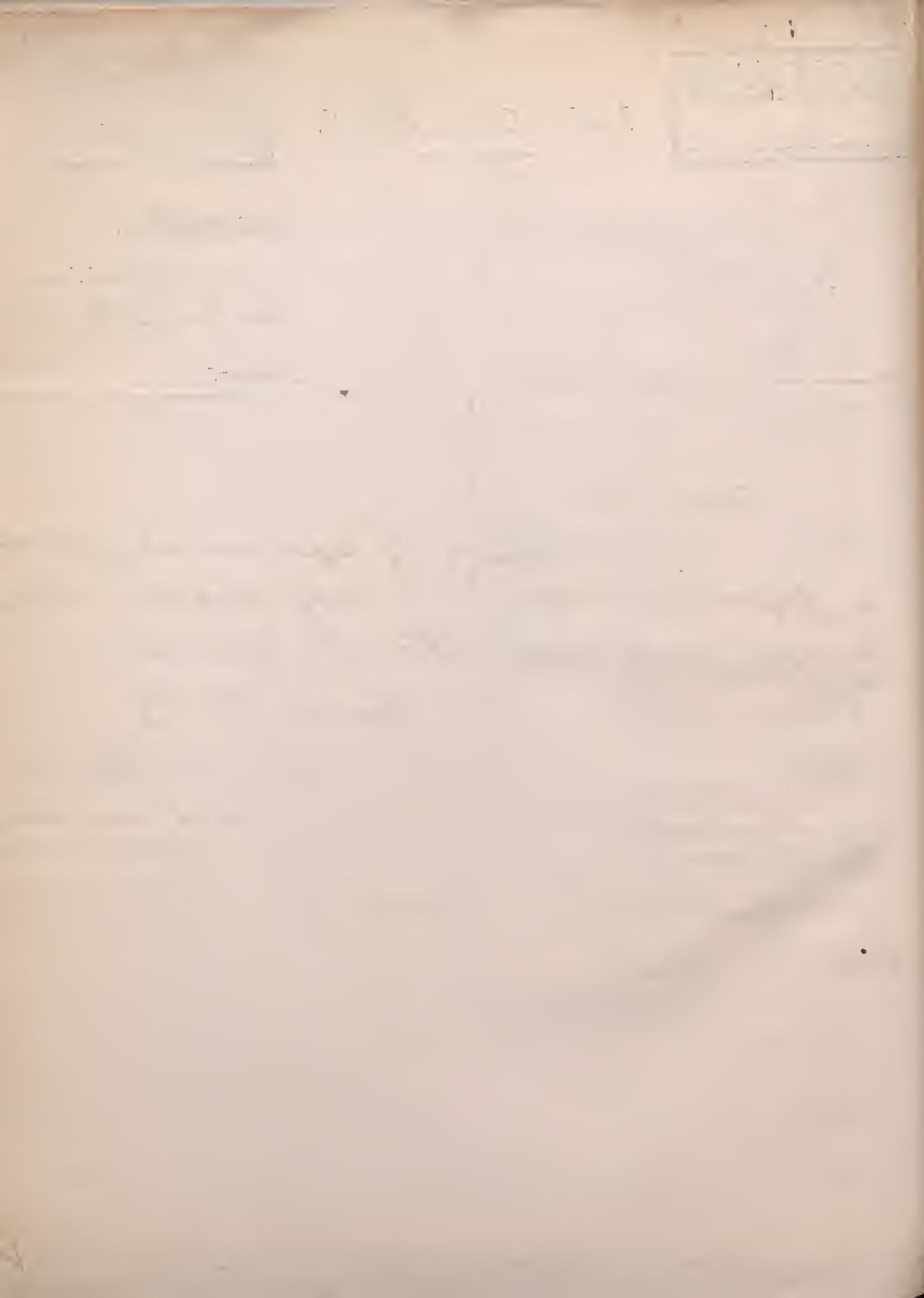
Edw. Woolford

Inst. in charge

The Director

Royal Botanic Gardens

Kew.



TELEPHONE N° 1168.

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PRINCIPAL
FRA^s C. FORTH. Assoc. R.C.Sc.I.

Municipal Technical Institute.



Belfast.

18th May, 1912.

J. Masters Hillier, Esq.,
Museum,
Royal Gardens,
K E W.

*See specimen
sent 21.5.12*

Dear Sir,

re instruction in Nature Study.

I have to thank you for your letter of the 16th inst., with reference to mine of the 14th inst., re Nature Study material. I have pleasure in enclosing you herewith an order for the Herbarium Specimens to which you make reference, and shall be glad to receive these at your convenience.

With regard to other materials suitable for giving instruction in Nature Study, any specimens which you have available we should be very glad indeed to receive.

I may mention that we have recently appointed at this Institution an Instructor in Horticulture, (Mr. Wm. H. Johns) who was formerly engaged at the Royal Botanical Gardens, Kew.

I am,

Yours very truly,

Noted

20.V.12. W.D.

*Duplicate Museum specimens
sent 30.V.12. W.D.*

Enclo:
Order.

W.D.

W. D. FORTH
Principal.



PRINCIPAL
FRAS C.FORTH. Assoc.R.C.Sc.I.

Municipal Technical Institute.
Belfast.

14th May, 1912.

Lieutenant-Colonel Prain,
Director,
Royal Botanical Gardens,
K E W, London.

Dear Sir,

re instruction in "Nature Study".

I understand that the authorities of the Gardens issue material to assist in giving instruction in "Nature Study" in Schools. I should be glad if you could favour me with particulars of what materials you have, and at what price these can be obtained.

Yours very truly

I am,

Yours very truly,

*Sent - pars. of Herbarium specimens
of trees & shrubs. also offered to forward
some Miscellaneous Museum duplicates
J. Prist.
16.5.12*

W.D.

Principal.



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PRINCIPAL
FRAS C.FORTH. Assoc. RCSc.I.

Municipal Technical Institute.



Belfast.

11th June, 1912.

The Director,
Royal Botanic Gardens,
K E W.

Dear Sir,

We duly received the box of Museum Specimens which you were kind enough to send forward for this Institute. We are very glad indeed to have these examples and have pleasure in enclosing you herewith a formal acknowledgement.

If at any time you can spare us further samples, they will be very useful to us, especially such examples as fibres for spinning and weaving; seeds which have a medicinal interest; and roots etc., which have a tinctorial value.

I have pleasure in enclosing you herewith a Prospectus of this Institute in which particulars are given of the various Departments.

I am, dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Chas. FORTH
Principal.

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A.J.

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J.H.H.
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Corporation of Belfast
Municipal Technical Institute

The Library and Technical Instruction Committee
beg to present their Compliments to

The Director.

Royal Botanic Gardens. Kew.

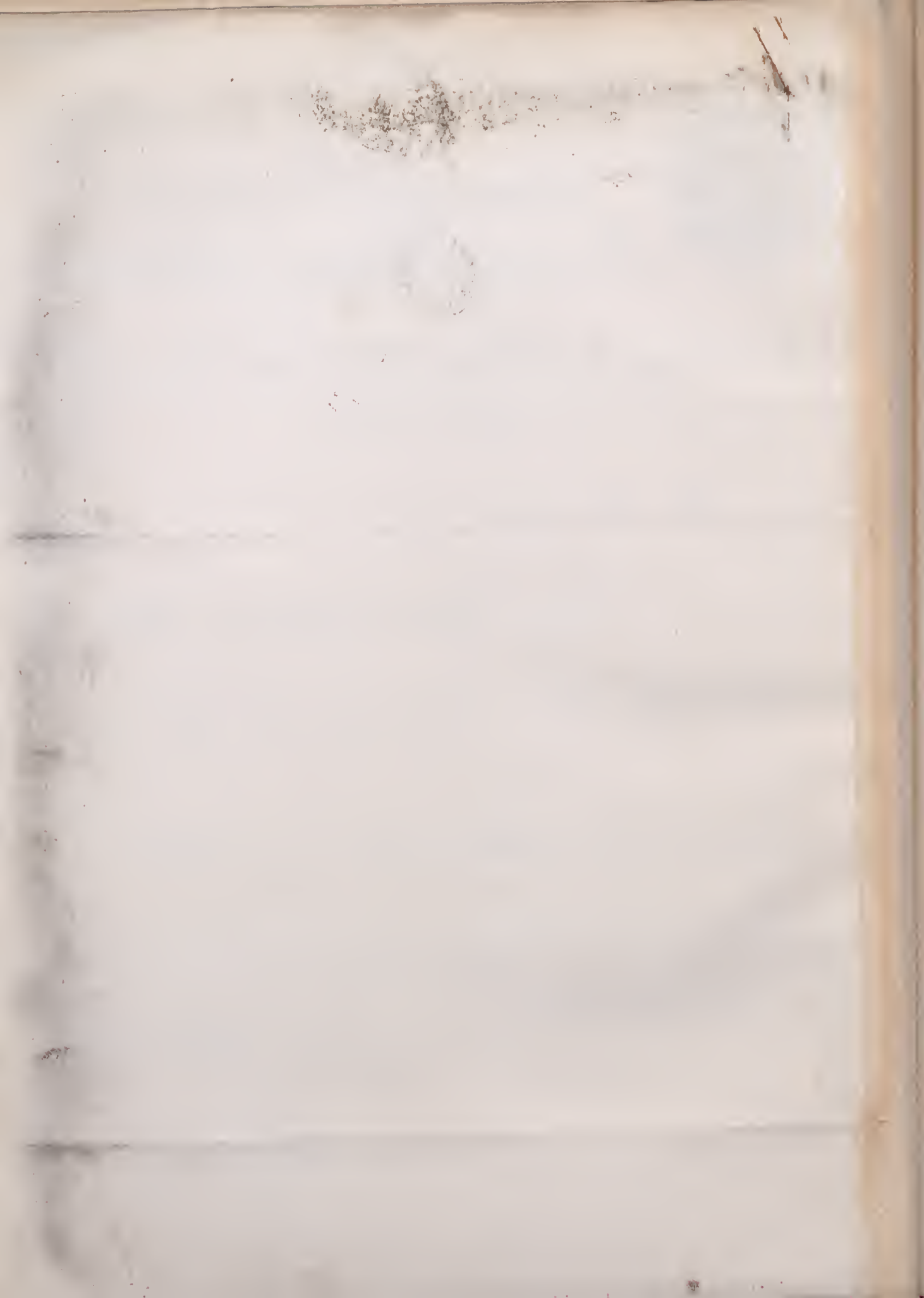
and to tender their thanks for the Gift of

Samples of Rubber, Seeds, and Fibres.

W. J. H. B. H.

Principal.

Date 11th June 1912.



HISTORICAL MUSEUM:
 FORCE HOUSE,
 HIGH STREET.

MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY,
 COY. & APPLIED ART.



THE MUNICIPAL MUSEUM,

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21 JUL 1913

Royal Agricultural College,
 Cirencester,

19.7.1913.

To The Directors, Kensington,

Dear Sir,

The Governors of the Royal
 Agricultural College direct me to convey
 to you their best thanks for a box of
 Museum specimens forwarded June 28.

I remain,

Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

J. K. Finneworth Davis.
 Principal.

Noted J.H.K.
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HULL HISTORICAL MUSEUM:
WILBERFORCE HOUSE,
HIGH STREET.

MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY,
ARCHAEOLOGY & APPLIED ART
ROYAL INSTITUTION, ALBION ST.

MUSEUM OF FISHERIES
AND SHIPPING:
PICKERING PARK.

COR: TEL: 336.

T. SHEPPARD, F.G.S., F.S.A. SCOT.
CURATOR.



THE MUNICIPAL MUSEUM,
HULL.

August 6th, 1913.



The Director,
Royal Botanical Gardens,
K E W.

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of some bamboo ropes and various botanical specimens which have been kindly forwarded to this Museum. They will be very useful to us in the effort we are making to develop the economical side of our work.

Yours faithfully,

noted

J.H.H.

7.VIII.13

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Sheppard
Curator

THE MUSEUM

HALL

August 1911



THE MUSEUM
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MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY
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MUSEUM OF FISHES
AND SHIPWRECK
PICKERING LANE

THE MUSEUM

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... They will be very useful to us in the ...
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F WILLIAMSON,
CURATOR



ART GALLERY & MUSEUM,

ROCHDALE.

10th Sept. 1933

The Director,

Royal Gardens Kew.

Dear Sir,

I beg to make application on behalf of the Committee of this museum, for a share of any duplicate museum specimens illustrating economic botany, which you may have for disposal.

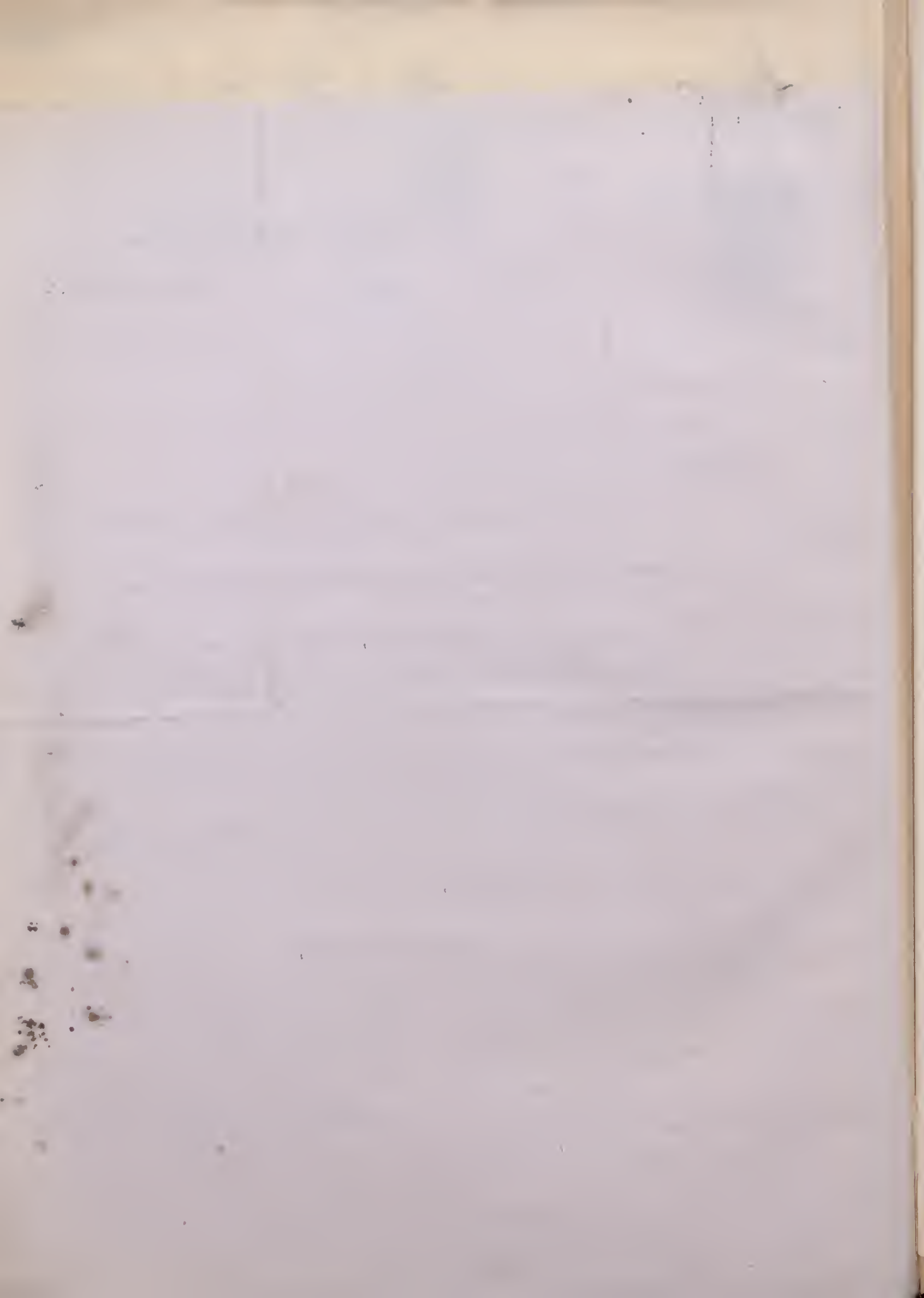
Any assistance you may grant us in this way will be greatly appreciated. Thanking you in anticipation of a favourable reply, I remain,

Yours faithfully,

And.
Specimens will be
sent when there are any
available for disposal.
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F. Williamson
Curator

Specimens sent 6. X. 14.
Ack with thanks 17. X. 14.





COUNTY BOROUGH OF ROCADALE.

15th October, 19 14.

Sir,

*I am directed by the Public Libraries,
Art Gallery and Museum Committee to convey to you
their thanks for the undermentioned gifts which
you have kindly presented to the Museum.*

I remain

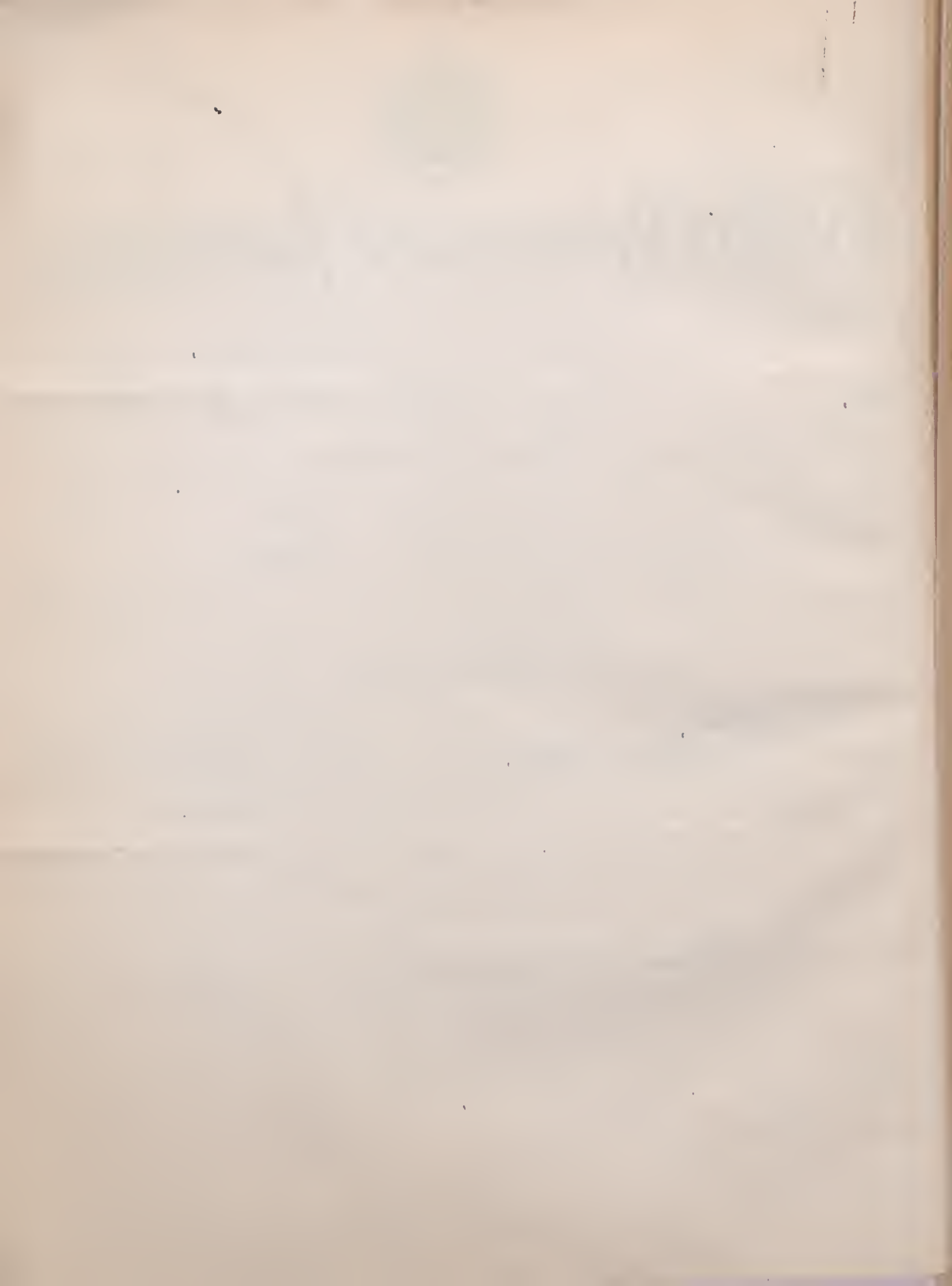
Yours truly

THE DIRECTOR,
ROYAL BOTANIC GARDENS,
KEW.

R. J. Gordon
Curator.

SPECIMENS OF ECONOMIC PRODUCTS.

*Noted 17.10.14
G.D.*



Borough of Colne.*W. Higson, F.L.A.**Librarian & Curator.**Public Library and Museum,**Colne, Lancashire.**16th Oct. 1914**To the Director**Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew
London.**Dear Sir*

*we beg to acknowledge receipt of
"a collection of duplicate museum specimens of
economic products" & thank you for same. I can
assure you that your gift will be thoroughly appreciated
by the public of Colne & District*

*Noted**J.H.H.**20.10.14**Faithfully Yours**W. Higson.*

BOROUGH OF COLNE.



W. HIGSON,
LIBRARIAN.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

COLNE.

LANCASHIRE.

11 OCT. 1913

8th. Oct. 1913.

To the Director,
Kew Royal Botanical Gardens,
London.

Dear Sir,

I am desired by my committee to ask if you can make any contribution to our local museum, we are very desirous of making same as instructive and educational as possible and should be extremely obliged for any assistance you can render us in this direction. Thanking you in anticipation,

Faithfully yours,

*And, as specimens available.
Application will be kept
in mind. 15.8.13. W.H.*

Specimens sent. 6. X. 14.

W. Higson



Telephone 150 H.

Superintendent of
Educational Handwork—
F. T. CRAFT.

Cumberland Education Committee.

13 Carl Street,
Carlisle.

Dec. 1st. 1914.

Dear Sir,

For lecturing and demonstration purposes to classes of teachers and children on timber and timber trees (growth, habitat &c.) in connection with Handicraft classes in this County, I should like to have some specimens of leaves, cones, seeds &c., of trees which are converted into timber for general use and would be grateful if you can give me any information as to how they may be obtained.

Yours faithfully,

F. T. Craft.

*Specimens sent
advised 8/12/14.
15 now
others next summer
if required
and*

The Director,
Kew Gardens,
London. S.W.

Administrative Building



Dec. 1st, 1911.

Dear Sir,

For information and administrative purposes
to classes of teachers and children on their and their
lines (present, subject to.) in connection with special
classes in this course, I would like to give you
a number, name, address, of these who are present
into that for general use and would be entitled to see
give me any information as to how they can be obtained.

Very truly,
John W. Smith

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Director,
The Bureau,
Washington, D.C.

FIR. ✓ Norway Spruce, ✓ Silver Fir, ✓ Douglas Fir.

PINES. ✓ Austrian, Northern, ✓ Weymouth, Pitch,
✓ Stone, Kauri, Oregon.

OAKS. ✓ Ilex, Cerris.

CEDAR. ✓ Indian, ✓ Lebanon, Pencil, ~~Liriodendron~~,

~~Liriodendron~~ Tulipifera, Tilia, Americana, Liquidambar
Styraciflua, Acacia, ✓ Birch, ✓ Box,
✓ Californian Redwood, Hornbeam, ✓ Plane,
Poplar, ✓ Hickory, Mahogany, Ebony,
✓ Sequoia.

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Sequoia.

Poplar, Sycamore, Norway Spruce, Fir,

California Redwood, Hemlock, Pine,

Juniper, Cedar, Fir, Spruce,

Redwood, Fir, Spruce, Hemlock, Fir,

CEDAR.

Indian, Lebanon, Penck, Alaska,

OAKS. Live, Green.

Stone, Laurel, Oregon.

PINES.

Austrian, Northern, Weymouth, Fir,

FIR. Norway Spruce, Silver Fir, Douglas Fir.

Willesden Education Committee.



1914

School Manual Dept.
Dec: 3rd

Dear Sir

I have to thank you for the
splendid specimens of timber which you
have so kindly sent to the above school.
Thanking you again for your kindness
I am, Sir

Yours Respectfully
A G Brown

To The Curator
New Gardens



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